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NICARAGUAN WAR IS LIKELY ENDED

Madriz Forces Capture Bluefields and Rout the Estrada Forces.

GUNBOAT BOMBARDED TOWN

General Estrada Takes the Defeat Calmly and Declares He Will Make Further Resistance. Heavy Fighting.

Bluefields, May 27.—The government forces under cover of the fire of the gunboat San Jacinto today routed the insurgents and occupied Bluefields Bluff. This loss to the Estrada forces probably ends the revolution.

This morning at 3 o'clock the Madriz gunboat San Jacinto began bombarding the Bluff, the troops landing under cover of her guns.

There was only slight fighting, however, until 6 o'clock when the Madriz forces succeeded in taking the positions of the enemy and the bluff.

The Estrada forces were under command of General Zeledon. The force of Madriz in the engagement is estimated at 500 and that of Estrada at 200.

Communication with the Bluff at this time is impossible and further details of the fighting are unobainable.

The Estrada gunboats Blanca and Ometepo escaped up the Escondido river.

The government generals, Lara and Chavarria, have not yet attacked Rama which is in the hands of the revolutionists.

General Estrada takes his defeat at Bluefields calmly. He says he intends to make further resistance. No damage has yet been done to American property here.

BIG GUN SHOOTING.

New World's Record Made by New Battleship South Carolina.

Norfolk, Va., May 27.—A new world's record for big gun shooting, which incidentally emphasizes the superiority of United States naval marksmanship, has just been made by the new battleship South Carolina. With her forward turret 12-inch guns she made 16 "bulls eye" target hits out of 16 shots in four minutes and 51 seconds.

The South Carolina came into Hampton Roads this morning after having completed her big gun target practice on the Southern Drill Grounds, 35 miles off the Virginia capes. The entire crew of the South Carolina is elated over changing the world's record.

The record was made by the gun crews in charge of Gunner Edwards by the 12-inch guns in the vessel's No. 4 after turret. Coxswain Edwards is in his first enlistment and is but 21 years of age. His home is in Roodhouse, Ill.

The South Carolina, commanded by Capt. Augustus F. Fechteler, has been in commission three months. While all figures have not been made up it is believed aboard the South Carolina that her gunnery work just completed will make her No. 1 in the navy.

Washington, May 27.—That a battleship, less than three months in commission, brand new in every respect, and with a fresh crew of officers and men, should make the record at target practice that the South Carolina did, is a source of exultation in the Navy Department.

Rumors that the gunners were doing excellent work had been coming into the Department from unofficial sources for the past two days, but not until the official record was flashed by Capt. Fechteler via wireless today was the fact realized the South Carolina had smashed all records for a new ship.

The conditions were severe too, for the target was much smaller than was formerly used, it was a mile away from the gunners, the seat was fairly rough and the ship was traveling at a 10-knot rate, while the shooting was going on. Capt. Fechteler's report shows that the hits per gun per minute was 1.01, making the final merit 50.5. The extraordinary feature was that 55 of 60 great 12-inch projectiles hit the bulls eye. Three of the four turrets on the ship made 100 per cent. of hits, in other words, every shot found its mark.

RHOADES SUICIDES.

Eccentric Son of U. S. A. Surgeon Dead in Sanitarium.

New York, May 27.—John V. A. Rhoads, of New York, the eccentric son of Dr. Archibald Rhoades, at one time a surgeon in the U. S. Army, committed suicide yesterday in a private sanitarium, near Flushing, L. I., by cutting his throat with a safely razor. Rhoades had a spectacular career and labored under the impression that he was a millionaire, when as a matter of fact he had only a modest income. In December 1907 he was temporarily confined in Bellevue for examination as to his sanity and in the Summer of the same year, he gained notoriety in London by throwing a revolver at an orchestra leader who ignored his command to play the "Star Spangled Banner." He was 45 years old.

Tonight at Lumina.
Dancing tonight at Lumina—cars every half hour until 11 P. M. **

Wealthy Bride

Washington, May 27.—The marriage of Miss Mathilde T. Townsend to Peter Goelet Gerry was the fashionable event of the season in Washington yesterday. Miss Katherine Elkins was the bride's only attendant, the ceremony being at noon. While the wedding was to be a simple one, diplomatic Washington was invited to attend. The bride is one of the wealthiest young girls in the United States, while the groom is a millionaire. At one time Miss Townsend was said to have been engaged to Duke d'Alba.

WARM ARGUMENTS AT INQUIRY

Attorneys for Ballinger and Pinchot Before Investigating Committee—Defend and Attack Witnesses —Nearing End.

Washington, May 27.—With the attorneys on one side scoring Secretary Ballinger, as a man unfit to be at the head of the Interior Department and with the leading attorney on the other side defending him and denouncing his accusers, whom he termed the "Glavis-Garfield-Gifford group," the Ballinger-Pinchot Investigating Committee listened to summing up arguments by counsel today. The arguments probably will be concluded tomorrow.

Attorneys Bradeis and Pepper told the committee they had produced evidence which they said established that Ballinger was not "vigilant" and "resolute," in resisting the aggressions of special interests and that his course had been characterized by a lack of fidelity to the public interests.

Attorney Vertrees' reply was that Mr. Ballinger was as much of a "conservationist" as any one "in a proper sense, but that he did not belong to the "Pinchot brand of 33rd degree conservationists, who have gone to seed on conservation."

It was his "constant yielding under pressure" that Brandeis thought most unfitted Ballinger to carry forward the broad policy of conservation. Pepper advanced as the reason Ballinger should be supplanted as secretary was made during his regime there had been "no administration worthy of the name, but only series of acts unwise in themselves, referable to no sound principle of action and the cause of embarrassmen to the President and of inquiry to the public."

Vertrees said Ballinger was to be commended for the so-called "Garfield policies" he had reversed, and contrasted former Secretary Garfield with Mr. Ballinger. He said the former thought he had the right to do what he was not specifically prohibited by law from doing while Mr. Ballinger always was guided by law in his official acts.

Defending Mr. Ballinger's action in restoring water power sites withdrawn during the last days of the Garfield administration and in subsequently withdrawing them Vertrees said Ballinger had merely carried out the wishes of the President and that he was fortified in his construction of the law by the opinion of the law officers of the government.

"When the ambitions of Pinchot and Garfield were shattered," exclaimed Vertrees, "then revenge took the place of that which before was good intention and they endeavored to drive down the man that was doing the thing he thought was right.

Vertrees indulged in a scathing denunciation of Glavis and Kerby, referring to the latter as "that creature Kerby." He said Pinchot had testified that he knew nothing himself to substantiate charges he preferred against Mr. Ballinger.

"It remained for this hireling of the Glavis-Garfield-Gifford group to insinuate and intimate what they did not dare to charge, and could not prove," exclaimed Vertrees shaking a bony finger at Brande's, Glavis' lawyer smiled in reply.

The fire alarm shortly after 2 o'clock this morning from box 112, City Hospital, was on account of a small blaze in a house at 1020 Gwynn street, occupied by Lizzie Johnson. The destruction of one mattress was the extent of the damage.

SENATE DELAYED ON RAILROAD BILL

Important Amendment to the Measure Came as Surprise Yesterday.

REFERS TO WIRE COMPANIES

Places Them Under Supervision and Control of Interstate Commerce Commission—Consider the New Features Today.

Washington, May 27.—At the last moment before reaching the point of voting upon the railroad bill today the Senate took the important step of adding an amendment, placing interstate telegraph and telephone lines under the supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission. This action was followed by an effort to restore a portion of Section 12, effecting mergers, which heretofore was voted out.

Both provisions were introduced so suddenly as to surprise the Senate, and the latter was considered so important that rather than vote upon it without more consideration than it was able to give the Senate took an adjournment until tomorrow.

The action of the Senate on the telegraph and telephone companies, insures their inclusion in some form in the proposed law as the subject is covered in the House bill. The suggestion for the inclusion of telegraph and telephone companies within the control of the Interstate Commerce Commission was made by Senator Dixon, of Montana, but ultimately his amendment was superceded by one in simpler form which was offered by Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin.

The Senate reached the voting stage at 4 o'clock after an animated debate, which was carried on largely on the Democratic side of the chamber and which dealt especially with the question as to whether the Dolliver amendment regulating the stock and bond issues of railroads, was in accordance with the last Democratic platform.

Much disapprobation against voting upon the Dixon telegraph amendment without an opportunity for examination was expressed.

While the discussion and the voting were in progress on the Dixon amendment, Senator LaFollette prepared an amendment, which was in form so simple and direct that the Senators could have no difficulty in comprehending it. Mr. Dixon indicated a willingness to accept this provision in place of his own, and it went through without even a division. The provision as adopted is as follows:

"That telegraph and telephone companies (except wireless) transacting an inter-state business, are hereby placed under the supervision and control of the Interstate Commerce Commission, subject to the provisions of an act to regulate commerce approved February 4, 1887, which are applicable thereto."

The result on this amendment had no sooner been announced than Mr. Brown, of Nebraska, presented his amendment reviving a portion of Section 12. His amendment prohibits all common carriers from acquiring any interest whatsoever, in the capital stock of, or purchasing or leasing, any railroad which is competitive with that of the purchasing company. A fine of $5,000 is imposed for each day's violation of this provision.

The suggestion of this important action, following so closely as it did upon the vote to place telegraph and telephone companies under the control of the commission was more than the Senate was willing to accept without more opportunity for deliberation. Many protests against immediate action were uttered, and when Senator Bacon moved to adjourn, the Senate decided to adjourn 31 to 27, thus postponing action on the bill, and all other amendments.

The Dolliver amendment was lost by the decisive vote of 19 to 47.

SOUTHERN SECRETARIES.

South Carolina Commissioner Delivered Address.

New Orleans, May 27.—The principal feature of today's session of the annual convention of the Southern Commercial Secretaries Association was an address by E. J. Watson, Commissioner of Agriculture of South Carolina, who urged the need of co-operation among the secretaries in the upbuilding of the South.

"What the South needs," he said, "is people—white people."

Tonight the delegates were guests at a dinner at Lake Pontchartain.

REVENUE COLLECTOR SHOT.

Headed Moonshine Raid at Marysville, Tenn.

Washington, May 27.—William A. Dunlap, collector of internal revenue for the District of Tennessee, headed a moonshine raid at Maryville, Tenn., yesterday and was shot and crippled, but not seriously injured, according to a dispatch received by Commissioner Cabell today. Four men were found operating the distillery, two of whom were captured.

Deposits made with the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company between now and June 2nd will draw a full quarter's interest on September 1st. ma 28-5t.

Oliver Spitzer

New York, May 27.—When Oliver Spitzer, former dock superintendent of the sugar trust, recently appeared in court with a pardon from President Taft, he created the biggest sensation in the now famous sugar frauds trial. While his confession made on the witness stand that he had been a party to the frauds against the government created a sensation, the attorneys for the government declare more startling information is under way and that the men "higher up" are headed toward prison as the result of Spitzer's story. President Taft, it is said, heard the confession of Spitzer before he pardoned him from the Atlanta prison, where he had been serving a two years' sentence.

ASHEVILLE AND "NIGH BEER"

Tax Raised to $1,000 and Restrictions Will be Imposed—Judge Pritchard Says Fines are a Form of License.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., May 27.—The special tax committee of the Board of Aldermen have agreed to recommend an increase of the special tax on the sale of "near-beer," from $250 to $1,000 per year. More stringent regulations regarding closing hours, back entrances, etc., may also be adopted when final action is taken next week.

Judge J. C. Pritchard president of the Good Government League appeared before the Board tonight with a number of women of the W. C. T. U., ministers and other citizens, and pleaded for a more rigid enforcement of the prohibition laws. He spoke plainly, he said, and declared that the laws had not been enforced in Asheville as they should. He made a strenuous indictment of the fine system for violators, which he declared was nothing less than an indirect tax for the sale of whiskey. He pleaded for a road sentence for every violator.

AGAINST LEE STATUE

Resolutions Adopted at Indiana G. A. R. Encampment.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 27.—The State encampment of the G. A. R. today adopted by unanimous vote a memorial to the National encampment protesting against the placing of the statue of General Robert E. Lee in Statuary Hall at Washington. The same memorial also protested against the use of the Jefferson Davis silver service on the battleship Mississippi.

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OUTLINES.

The Senate again amended the railroad bill yesterday and on account of the new provisions under consideration did not vote on the measure. An amendment placing the wire companies under control of the Interstate Commerce Commission was adopted.

——President Taft in a letter to Congressman Tawney yesterday expressed regret at the reflection on Southern hospitality during the House debate on the President's traveling expenses.

——C. P. Connolly yesterday instituted a suit for $20,000 damages for alleged slander against Oscar Lawter, of the Interior Department, for statements at the Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry——Bluefields was taken yesterday by the Madriz forces after the insurgents had been routed——The new brick speedway at Indianapolis was opened yesterday and new auto records were made——New York markets: Money on call firm 2 1-2 to 3 1-2, ruling rate 3 1-4, closing bid 3, offered at 3 1-4. Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points advance, middling uplands 15.30, middling gulf 15.55. Flour quiet and lower to sell. Wheat spot easy, No. 2 red 1.04 nominal, No. 1 northern 1.12 1-8 nominal f.o.b. Corn spot weak, No. 2, 66 1-4 nominal elevator domestic basis. Rosin quiet. Turpentine easy.

MR. TAFT REGRETS HOUSE CRITICISM

Reflection on Southern Hospitality Displeasing to President.

TAWNEY GETS HIS LETTER

Speaks of Welcome in Southern States. Dislikes Attitude of Democrats in Regard to His Expenses—Tawney's Statement.

Washington, May 27.—"In all my experience, and I have enjoyed the hospitality of many sections and countries of the world, I never had a more cordial, generous, open and lavish welcome than I had in the Southern States during my trip, and the slightest hint that puts me in the attiude of a critic of that hospitality gives me great pain."

This, in part, is the manner in which President Taft today in a letter to Chairman Tawney, of the House Committee on Appropriations, deeply resented criticisms passed by Democrats in the debate in the House yesterday upon the traveling xpnses of the President.

The President says he is especially distressed by "suggested reflection on Southern hospitality."

President Taft's letter continues: "I am deeply grieved over the phase which the discussion of the appropriation for the traveling expenses of the President took yesterday. I think it a legitimate argument in favor of such an appropriation that Congressmen and many others press the acceptance of invitations to visit their sections and districts, because the urgency of such requests indicates the opinion on the part of the people that one of the duties of the President is to visit the people in their homes.

"But the intimation or suggestion that the acceptance by Congressmen of the President's invitation to travel on the train with him in their respective districts or States was a reason why they should not vote their free opinion on the question of such an appropriation is to me a most painful one. In traveling upon the train they were not receiving my hospitality—they were only making a little more elaborate the cordial welcome which they as representatives of their districts wished to give.

"The feature of the discussion yesterday which was especially distressing to me was a suggested reflection on Southern hospitality. The intimation that somewhere in the South board was charged has no foundation in fact, and I never heard it intimated until I saw it in this morning's paper."

Following the receipt of President Taft's letter, Representative Tawney issued a lengthy statement saying that the colloquy on the floor yesterday between himself and Southern members regarding "Southern hospitality" had been distorted. He says:

"It is ridiculous to suppose that I would reflect privately, much less publicly, upon the floor of the House of Representatives, upon Southern hospitality, which is proverbial and than which—I can say from experience—there is nothing more cordial or more generous to be imagined. But I agree with the statement of President Taft in his letter to me today, that "it is a legitimate argument in favor of such an appropriation that Congressmen and many others press the acceptance of invitations to visit their sections and districts, because the urgency of such requests indicates the opinion on the part of the people that one of the duties of the President is to visit the people in their homes."

"I had spoken of a man who would ask the President to be his guest, entertain him and then criticise him for making the visit, and 'in effect charging him board.' Mr. Bartlett, of Georgia, evidently misunderstanding my remark, then demanded to know of that single instance where the President was charged board and Representative Hamer, of Idaho, before I could reply, injected the facetious comment that he thought it was in Georgia."

"Of course the President was never charged for his board when the guest of any one in Georgia, or anywhere else, and no such allegation made made."

GEN. GREENE'S BIRTHDAY.

Urged House to Pass Bill for Statue on Guilford Battleground.

Washington, May 27.—Today being the anniversary of the birth of Gen. Nathaniel Greene, Representative Thomas called the attention of the House to a pending bill for the erection of a statue to Greene on the battleground of Guilford Court House near Greensboro, N. C. No action was taken by the House.

Mr. Thomas characterized General Greene as next to Washington the most potent force in the American struggle for independence and said the statue would link the people of New England and the South. The bill already has passed the Senate.

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Chinese Troubles

Peking, May 27.—United States Minister to China, W. J. Calhoun, considers the Chinese trouble so serious that he has cabled Rear Admiral John Hubbard, commander of the Asiatic fleet, to hold his warships in readiness for emergencies. The troubles in China began with the shortage of rice crops in Hunan province, due to the great floods of a year ago. Present dispatches recently have been filled with details of the disorder in China and anxiety has been felt for American interests represented there.

RECORDS ON NEW SPEEDWAY

Drivers Raced Wildly on Brick Track and Kincaid and Vhevrolet Made New Time—Exciting Events at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, May 27.—Records went down before the onslaughts of desperately driven motor cars in today's races at the motor speedway and the new course, the only brick track in the world, justified all the claims of its constructors that it would prove satisfactory.

In three different classes of American stock cars, time was hammered down. The greatest event of the day was the 100-mile race, for cars of 301 to 450 cubic inches piston displacement. It was won by Kincaid in a National in 1:23:43. The previous record, set by Chevrolet in a Buick at Atlanta, was 1:24:08.

Ill fortune took this race away from Dawson, driving a Marmon. He led the field from the tenth to the 85th mile. He lost the lead by the fouling of a spark plug, and could not regain it. Kincaid, bounding down the home stretch, barely escaped crashing into the press stand when one of his real tires ripped off and hurtled high in the air. By sheer strength, he held his car to the track.

In the five-mile race for cars of the same class as entered the 100-mile, Kincaid broke another record, winning over Dawson and Harroun, both driving Marmons by a tremendous burst of speed in the home stretch that carried him from the field to the fore. His time was 4:05, bettering the former record by 40 seconds.

Harroun had his inning in the ten-mile event for cars of 231 to 300 inches displacement. He won in 8:16, smashing the former record of 9:03.

Chevrolet, driving a Buick in the five-mile race for the little cars of 161 to 230 inches, displacement, won with a brilliant dash in 4:41, breaking the previous time of 5:13. There were no serious accidents today.

The feature tomorrow will be the 200-mile race, which was called off last year because of fatal accidents.

FRENCH SUBMARINE DISASTER.

It is Believed That Crew Was Drowned—Details.

Calais, France, May 27.—The French submarine Pluviose which was struck by the cross channel steamer Pas de Calais yesterday morning, was again located tonight after having been driven from her mud moorings at the bottom of the English channel today and carried hither and thither by the swift flow of the current.

Tonight various craft are moored above the spot and are sending down divers in an endeavor to fasten chains about the wreck so that it may be raised to the surface.

That the 27 officers and men of the Pluviose all perished is the opinion of navy officials who are assisting in the wrecking operations. There is an abundance of naptha on the surface of the water and this leads them to the belief that the inner shell of the submarine was shattered by the blow of the Pas de Calais and that all the crew were drowned.

VIRGINIA JUDGE INJURED.

Judge Tebbs Struck by Street Car in Washington.

Washington, May 27.—Judge Richard H. Tebbs, aged 65, of Leesburg, Va., had both his legs broken and was otherwise injured today by being knocked down by a trolley car in this city. At the hospital tonight it was said that he probably would recover from his injuries, although they are quite serious. He was trying to board a moving trolley, from which he fell and was struck by another car coming from an opposite direction.

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A SLANDER SUIT FOLLOWS INQUIRY

Employe of Ballinger Made Defendent in Action For $20,000.

TESTIMONY CAUSE TROUBLE

Suit Brought by Christopher P. Connolly Against Attorney Oscar Lawler—First of Threatened Legal Proceedings.

Washington, May 27.—Christopher P. Connolly, a lawyer of Montana and New York, and a well known writer for magazines, today filed suit in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to recover $20,000 damages for alleged slander from Oscar Lawler, assistant attorney general for the Interior Department.

The suit is the first of the threatened legal proceedings growing out of the Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry. It was rumored around the court today that Secretary Ballinger was prepared to invoke the law against some of his alleged traducers.

The basis for the action is the testimony alleged to have been given by Mr. Lawler May 17th before the Ballinger-Pinchot joint committee, wherein Mr. Lawler is alleged to have referred to Mr. Connolly and others as "despicable scoundrels, who would stoop to any depth of degradation." He is further alleged to have testified that a man named Connolly stood on the deck of the steamship Republic just before she went down and trampled down women and children in an attempt to get to a life boat."

When asked to identify the Connolly referred to, it is alleged, Mr. Lawler said, "He is an employe of Collier's Weekly and is a tall slender man with a short gray moustache." This, Mr. Connolly says describes him.

Mr. Lawler is further alleged to have said that he had considerable contempt for the [illegible] connected with Collier's Weekly anyway and would not put him above anything of that kind."

Mr. Connolly charges that this connection of him with the person on board the Republic is false and that the accusation was maliciously made. Mr. Connolly said later that at the time of the loss of the Republic he was in Los Angeles, Cal., many miles away from the scene of the disaster.

STUART'S TRUNKS SEIZED.

Claim That Virginians Tried to Evade Paying Duty.

New York, May 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Stuart, of the well known Stuart family of Virginia, had a clash with the customs authorities on their return from Europe on the Mauretania today, but both sides admitted tonight that there had been a misunderstanding. Eight of Mrs. Stuart's trunks, of a lot of 25 pieces of baggage, were seized and sent to the public stores as containing valuable goods not declared. But as Mr. Stuart has expressed willingness to pay duty in full, they will be released when he does so, and he may appeal for redress if he considers the appraisment unjust.

George Smyth, a deputy surveyor of the port, held a conference with the Stuarts late this afternoon. Afterward be explained that inasmuch as Mrs. Stuart had been living abroad for the last two years she thought she was a non-resident, and this misapprehension caused all the trouble. The fact that Mr. Stuart is a resident, however, said Mr. Smyth, according to rulings of the Treasury Department, made his wife also a resident.

"But I am sure," he added that the declaration was made out in good faith and that there was no intention on the part of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart to evade the payment of duties. Mr. Stuart, he concluded was ready to pay all the duties.

Mr. Stuart said, "I do not charge that there is any intention on the part of the customs officials to do me any injustice and I believe that there has been some misapprehension. But I do claim non-residence for my family. I know the law and I am going to stand by my rights. I am sorry that this whole thing has attracted so much attention and the superfluous vigilance of the custom officers has put me in this queer light."

Mr. Stuart is a nephew of Gen. J. E. B. Stuart, of Confederate war fame, and is a candidate for Congress in the ninth Virginia district. His home is at Elk Garden, Virginia.

TILLMAN AGAIN ILL.

Suffering With Rheumatism Taken to Atlanta Hospital.

Atlanta, Ga., May 27.—Suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, United States Senator Benjamin R. Tillman, of South Carolina, arrived in this city last night and was at once taken to a local hospital for treatment.

Dr. W. W. Blackburn, who has Senator Tillman in charge, says there is no connection whatever between the rheumatic attack for which night traveling and platform work is greatly responsible, and the stroke of paralysis for which the Senator was treated here last May. Mrs. Tillman accompanied her husband.

IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

STILL ANOTHER WHITEWASH

Score Two to Nothing in Second Game With Goldsboro Yesterday—Poor Exhibition and Small Attendance.

Results Yesterday.

Goldsboro 2, Wilmington 0.
Fayetteville 0; Rocky Mount 2.
Raleigh 2; Wilson 9.

Where They Play Today.

Wilson at Raleigh.
Goldsboro at Wilmington.
Fayetteville at Rocky Mount.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	4	1	.800
Goldsboro	4	1	.800
Fayetteville	2	2	.500
Rocky Mount	2	3	.400
Raleigh	1	3	.250
Wilmington	1	4	.200

We are a slightly sea-sick crew,
But just you wait a bit;
We'll soon get busy on the job
And show you how to hit.
—Sailors' Chanty.

It was an improvement over Wednesday's game. That's about all the facts will justify with reference to yesterday's exhibition at League Park with Goldsboro, the visitors having been again the winners by a score of two to nothing. Kaiser, a loan from Goldsboro, was given a try-out on first base and showed up to very good advantage. Barring his generosity in issuing passes, Hawkins pitched a very good game, but the locals were unable to connect effectively with Gunderson at critical moments and the fourth consecutive defeat of the Sailor lads was comparatively easy.

Gates, the first Giant to face Hawkins, drew a constitutional but was forced at second by Kelly, while Wolfe flew to pitcher and Evans to second. For Wilmington Hyames got transportation and was sacrificed by Cooper, but Tydeman fanned and Doak flew to left.

In the second Sharpe fanned, Crockett drew a pass and was sacrificed by Stainbach but Daly flew to left. Wilmington: Carroll flew to left, Burke lined out to short and Kaiser expired via the pitcher.

The third was opened with a pass to Gunderson, who was sacrificed along to third by Gates and Kelly after which Wolfe flew to Tydeman on a beautiful catch. For Wilmington Kite flew to third, Hawkins out, short to first, while Hyames flew to left.

Evans led the fourth with a neat single over second and was sacrificed by Sharp; Crockett fanned and Evans was safe at third on error of Cooper, Steinbach singled over second and Evans scored, Steinbach being later caught off second. Cooper led Wilmington's half with a beautiful single to right, but Tydeman again expired by the atmospheric route, while Doak flew to centre and Carroll to right.

Daley drew the usual constitutional in the fifth while Gunderson hit to Hawkins and both were safe on wild throw to second; Gates up and Daly was caught off third; Gates was out pitcher to first; Kelly hit hot through pitcher and Gunderson was out for "cutting" third base. For Wilmington Burke flew to left, Kaiser was out second to first; Kite was safe on error of short, stole second, but Hawkins flew to short.

Sixth—Wolfe out short to first; Evans flew to short and Sharpe to centre. For Wilmington, after Hyames flew to short, Cooper drove his second of the gave over second, while Tydeman fouled out to third and Doak was out third to first.

In the seventh Crockett started with the usual pass, was sacrificed, but was caught at third on beautiful throw of Daly's fly which was caught by Doak in rightfield. For Wilmington, Carroll was out third to first, Burke drew a pass, but Kaiser hit to right and Burke was doubled at first on a celluloid exhibition that brought groans from the G. S.

In the eighth Gunderson got the sixth constitutional issued by General Manager Hawkins, but was caught off first, Gates singled to centre and was sacrificed by Kelly; Wolfe was safe on error of third, Evans singled to right and Gates scored, Sharpe was safe on error of short, filling the bases, but Crockett took pity and flew to Doak.

The eighth looked good when Kite drove one to the left field fence, which, however, was good for only one base on the improved outfield, but Hawkins lined out to pitcher and Kite was doubled at first; Hyames followed up the good work with a screamer to left for two sacks, but Cooper was out pitcher to first. In the meantime Mr. Kelly, of Goldsboro, had gotten gay with Umpire Strauss, who fined him a five spot and sent him to the bench, Malcolm taking his place at second.

In the ninth Steinbach was out short to first, Daly fouled out to Doak; Gunderson walked; Gates hit safely to short and Malcolm flew to Doak. For Wilmington Tydeman flew to third, Doak fouled to third and Carroll popped out to catcher.

The Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Gates, 3b	2	1	2	4	2	0
Kelly, 2b	4	0	1	0	1	0
Malcolm, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Wolfe, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Evans, lf	4	1	2	4	0	0
Sharpe, rf	3	0	0	2	1	0
Crockett, 1b	2	0	0	8	0	0
Steinbach, ss	2	0	1	3	1	1
Daly, c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Gunderson, p	1	0	0	2	2	0
Totals	26	2	6	27	7	1

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Hyames, ss	3	0	1	1	3	1
Cooper, 3b	3	0	2	2	0	2
Tydeman, lf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Doak, rf	4	0	0	4	1	0
Carroll, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Burke, 2b	2	0	0	4	4	0
Kaiser, 1b	3	0	0	8	2	0
Kite, c	3	0	1	3	4	0
Hawkins, p	3	0	0	2	2	1
Totals	29	0	4	27	17	4

Score by Innings.

Goldsboro	000 100 010—2 6 1
Wilmington	000 000 000—0 4 4

Summary—Sacrifice hits, Wilmington 0, Goldsboro 5; two-base hit, Hyames; stolen bases, Kite; double plays, Gunderson to Crockett; Sharp to Crockett, Doak to Cooper; left on bases, Goldsboro 9, Wilmington 5; bases on balls, Gunderson 2, Hawkins 7; struck out, by Gunderson 2, Hawkins 2; time 1:45; umpire, Strauss; attendance 382.

SUPINE SAYINGS.

"Hello! up there."

Japalac-ed once more.

Oh! for an incubator, now!

O! O! O! O! You Wilmington!

Almost enough for three or four settings.

That jade, Mistress Fate, has it in for us sure.

Hawkins seemed to have an aversion to doing anything but stroll the first man up.

It's up to Rube Howard to break the Jonah; and give that Goldsboro crowd a little whaling.

Gunderson must have felt like old Pop Weston, the way he pedestrined down the initial gutter line.

The Sailors need a new set of diamond charts so's to enable them to make port every now and then.

Those annular characters on the score board are becoming distressingly obnoxious to the naked eye.

"Please remove that 'I wonder who's beating them now' record; Clarence. Even humor gets tiresome at times."

Rocky Mount is putting up an errorless article to maketh glad the heart of man. Wonder where they get their disinfectant.

Col. Joe was sure right this time. Goldsboro has had a ride; and a regular joy journey, if anybody should ask you.

This thing is getting to be just about as cheerful as the arrival of the second consignment of twins to a happy father earning sixty per.

Everybody turn out and go to the park today, and try and inject some encouragement into the boys. We may not take the game, but "Hope is brightest when it dawns from fears." So here's looking at you; Sir Walter!

"A Wilson Fan" writing his town sheet from Norfolk speaks of the "cowardly Sailors". Cowardly! sailors. Now if that self-styled fan wanted to be Twain-ish and grill the local crew, why didn't he call them lubbers, fresh water dubs, "Naval Reserves", or something to that general effect, instead of resorting to a term of contempt. That's like a Wilsonite. He's just about one of those fearless fellows who never was known to run—from a drink.

EXCITING RACE TO HAVANA

Motorboats Raced From Philadelphia Down the Coast—Caliph First to Arrive Followed Closely by the Berneyo.

Havana, May 27.—Running the full capacity of her 60 horse power engine and foresail and quib set, the Caliph, the first boat to reach Havana in the ocean motor boat race which started from Philadelphia last Saturday, flashed across the finish line at the mouth of the harbor at 6:03:14 this evening. An hour later, at 7:04 P. M., the Berneyo, sailing at the rate of 12 miles an hour, crossed the finish. The Carolina and the Illys, the other boats left in the race, had not been sighted at a late hour.

While the Caliph led the Berneyo by one hour, 14 seconds, the race thus far is to the advantage of the latter by reason of the handicap of the Berneyo by three hours, 22 minutes, 13 seconds, as the Caliph had a time allowance of seven hours, 12 minutes, 40 seconds, and the Berneyo one of 11 hours, 35 minutes, seven seconds. The Berneyo, however, cannot yet be proclaimed the winner as the Little Illys and the Carolina both have large handicaps, the former 19 hours, three minutes, 7 seconds and the latter 18 hours, 12 minutes, 40 seconds.

On the arrival of the Caliph was greeted by a great fleet of steam-yachts, launches, tugs and government craft which escorted her to an anchorage near the sunken wreck of the battleship Maine. The Caliph reported having encountered choppy seas and head winds almost the entire passage. The Caliph's course covered 1,194 miles.

There was no accident of any kind during the trip, and all on board are well.

The Berneyo is owned by S. W. Granberry, of the Brooklyn Yacht Club. She is 60 feet long and her engines develop 25 horse power. The Caliph, which is owned by Commodore M. E. Brigham, of the Ventnor Yacht Club, also is 60 feet long and her engines are 36 horse power.

PREPARING FOR TRIP.

Curtis Aeroplane About Ready for Prize Flight.

Albany, N. Y., May 27.—The Curtis aeroplane soared for a brief moment tonight after all the attendant spectators on Van Rensalaer Island were confident that no trip flight would be attempted. The behavior of the machine was excellent and Curtiss hopes that he might launch out tomorrow on his $10,000 journey. In the morning the air was favorable but the aeroplane was not assembled. In the afternoon the aeroplane was assembled, but the wind blew a gale from the north.

The "bargain hunter" is no longer the woman who merely haunts the stores. She is the woman who watches the ads and goes to the stores strictly on business.

WILSON TAKES THE SECOND

Nine to Two Story of Game at Raleigh Yesterday—Red Birds Exhausted Three Pitchers. Home Run by Hearne.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 27.—Raleigh fans were subjected to another disappointment today in the second game on the home diamond, Raleigh being an easy victim of Wilson 9 to 2. Mundell was in the box for Raleigh through the fifth inning by which time Wilson had gotten in all nine runs. Jobson and Beatty held Wilson down in the box work for the remainder of the game. Hearne, for Wilson, drove in a home run with two men on bases in the fifth that lost to Raleigh all hope of winning.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilson	AB	R	H	O	A	E
McGeehan, 2b	5	2	2	3	3	0
Guerrant, 3b	4	2	0	0	0	0
Schuman, cf	5	0	1	3	0	0
Jacobs, ss	4	1	1	2	2	0
Miller, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0
Holt, 1b	3	0	1	11	1	0
Clapp, lf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Whalen, c	3	2	0	5	0	2
Hearne, p	4	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	37	9	8	26*	9	2

*Richardson out for interfering with batted ball.

Raleigh	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Hobbs, cf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Clemmons, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Hart, 2b	3	0	0	5	4	3
Richardson, 1b	3	1	1	10	1	0
Simmons, 3b	3	1	1	0	2	2
McCormack, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Wright, ss	3	0	1	1	2	2
Sherrill, c	4	0	0	5	2	0
Mundell, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jobson, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Beatty, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	2	4	27	11	7

Score by Innings.

Wilson	130 140 000—9 8 2
Raleigh	000 101 000—2 4 7

Summary—Struck out, by Hearne 4, by Mundell 3 in five innings, by Jobson 2 in two innings; bases on balls, by Hearne 4, by Mundell 1; hit by pitched ball, Mundell 2; home run, Hearne; two-base hits, McGeehan and Richardson; sacrifice hits, Guerrant, Miller; stolen bases, McGeehan 2, Guerrant 2, Schuman, Jacobs and Clapp, Simmons 2, Hart and Hobbs; time 2 hours; Umpire Barr.

LUYSTER TAKES SECOND DEFEAT

Score Two to Nothing at Rocky Mount. Craegan's Timely Swat Did the Work—The Tabulated Score.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., May 27.—A timely swat by Craegan, for the crew turned victory to the locals this afternoon. Following an error in centerfield and with two out Craegan hit for two sacks, causing the only scores of the game and Luyster was given his second defeat of the week. Walsh pitched steady ball for the crew. Dussault, the new catcher for the Railroaders, showed great form, his pegging being the star work.

The Tabulated Score.

Fayetteville	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Mullin, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Dobson, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
O'Halaran, 2b	2	0	1	5	2	0
Schumaker, lf	3	0	0	3	0	1
Luyster, p	3	0	1	0	3	1
Clancy, ss	3	0	0	0	1	0
Waters, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Bunting, 3b	3	0	0	1	5	1
Galvin, c	3	0	0	4	1	0
Totals	28	0	4	24	12	3

Rocky Mount	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Gastmeyer, 2b	3	0	0	1	4	0
Novak, ss	3	0	0	3	2	0
Gillespie, 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Mack, lf	1	1	1	1	0	0
Phelan, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Craegan, c	3	0	1	4	0	0
Bonner, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Dussault, c	3	0	1	6	2	0
Walsh, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	25	2	4	27	11	0

Score by Innings.

Rocky Mount	000 200 00x—2 4 0
Fayetteville	000 000 000—0 4 3

Summary—Sacrifice hit, Novak; bases on balls, Luyster 2, Walsh 1; struck out, by Luyster 4, Walsh 5; wild pitches, Walsh 1; two-base hits, Craegan; double plays, O'Halaran to Dobson, Novak to Phelan; left on bases, Fayetteville 2, Rocky Mount 3; time 1:20; umpire Davis; attendance 750.

JEFFRIES PUNCHES BAG.

Spent Strenuous Afternoon Before Going to 'Frisco.

Ben Lomond, Cal., May 27.—J. J. Jeffries put in a strenuous afternoon today before leaving for San Francisco to appear in a public boxing exhibition tonight.

"I'll just punch the bag for a few minutes to limber myself up for tonight's show," declared the fighter as he went into the gymnasium.

He not only punched the bag for half an hour without a stop, but skipped the rope, wrestled with the chest weights and shadow boxed until his assistants feared he would miss the train. He skipped the rope 1,206 times in 11 minutes.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Chicago	19	11	.633
New York	19	14	.576
Cincinnati	17	13	.567
Pittsburg	16	13	.552
St. Louis	16	18	.471
Philadelphia	13	16	.448
Boston	13	20	.394
Brooklyn	13	21	.382

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Philadelphia	25	7	.757
New York	20	9	.690
Boston	17	13	.567
Detroit	18	16	.529
Cleveland	13	16	.448
Washington	15	19	.441
Chicago	10	18	.357
St. Louis	6	24	.200

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, May 27.—Johnson held Detroit to two scattered hits today and Washington won 2 to 1. A wild throw to third by Unnglaub gave Detroit its only run. Elberfeld spilt the nail of his fore-finger in practice and will be out of the game for several days.

Washington	010 000 01x—2	6	1
Detroit	000 100 000—1	2	1

Johnson and Street; Stroud and Schmidt; time 1:25; umpires Connolly and Deneen.

Boston, May 27.—The expiration of an agreed time limit set to allow the visitors to catch a train found Cleveland and Boston tied 1 to 1 in the first half of the tenth inning. Cleveland had tied the score in the ninth on an earned run, while Boston's tally in the first came as a result of a pass with the bases full.

Cleveland	000 000 001—1	4	0
Boston	100 000 000—1	5	2

Falkenberg and Bemis; Arrelanes and Carrigan; time 1:35; umpires O'Loughlin and Perrine.

New York, May 27.—The New York Americans' winning streak was broken today by Chicago, who with Walsh pitching defeated them 2 to 1. Walsh struck out nine men. Both of Chicago's runs were batted in by Dougherty.

Chicago	200 000 000—2	8	3
New York	001 000 000—1	8	1

Walsh and Block; Warhop and Sweeney; umpires Evans and Egan; time 1:45.

Philadelphia, May 27.—Today's game here went the full limit after being stopped three times by rain, Philadelphia defeating St. Louis by 4 to 2. A batting rally in the fourth inning and Pelty's wildness gave the home team the victory. In four times at bat Stone made two singles, a double and a triple.

St. Louis	010 000 100—2	9	3
Philadelphia	000 210 01x—4	5	1

Pelty and Stephens; Bender and Thomas; time 1:57; umpires, Kerin and Sheridan.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn, May 27.—Brooklyn met defeat 8 to 7 at the hands of New York in a game that was interrupted by rain. Scanlon pitched well up to the sixth when the visitors made three hits in a row and he gave way to Wilhelm, who was ineffective. Manager Dahlen announced the release of Pitcher Hunter to Montreal.

New York	100 003 220—8	9	1
Brooklyn	002 000 000—2	7	4

Raymond and Wilson; Scanlon, Wilhelm, Dosseau and Bergen; time 2:08; umpires Johnstone and Moran.

Pittsburg, May 27.—Six errors made Pittsburg play a farce today while Boston fielded perfectly behind Curtiss' steady pitching and won easily again 6 to 1. Wagner was guilty of muffing two easy ones and once throwing wild, while Sweeney in the same position for Boston made six of the twelve assists and two put-outs.

Boston	000 122 100—6	9	0
Pittsburg	000 100 000—1	8	6

Curtis and Graham; Powell, Maddox and Gibson; time 1:35; umpires O'Day and Brennan.

OTHER GAMES.

Southern League.

At Chattanooga 5; New Orleans 1.
At Atlanta 3; Mobile 6.
At Memphis 10; Birmingham 4.
At Nashville 8; Montgomery 0.

Carolina League.

At Greenville 3; Anderson 2
At Spartanburg 6; Charlotte 7.
At Winston-Salem 2; Greensboro 0.

Virginia League.

At Danville 1; Portsmouth 9.
2nd: Danville 6; Portsmouth 1.
At Richmond 4; Roanoke 3.
At Norfolk 6; Lynchburg 7.

South Atlantic League.

At Augusta 6; Savannah 2.
At Macon 2; Jacksonville 3.
At Columbus 4; Columbia 2.

FIRST ROUND CITY LEAGUE.

Will be Concluded This Afternoon Junior Baraca Diamond.

The first round in the City Baseball League games will be finished this afternoon at the Junior Baraca diamond and some interesting games are promised those who attend on account of the standing of the teams. Each team now stands at 500. The first game will be between the Junior Baraca's and the Y. M. C. A. team, with Gregory Davis in the box for the latter and Avon Blue for the Junior boys. This game will be called promptly at 2:45 P. M.

The second game will prove who's it—A. C. L. Pirates or the Boys' Brigade. This is the first game between these two teams and both are going in to win. This game will be called at 4:45 P. M. sharp.

In the gymnasium of the Young Men's Christian Association tonight the Junior Baraca team will play the Y. M. C. A. Juniors at indoor baseball. The Y. M. C. A. boys have only lost one game this season and are confident of holding their own with the strong Junior Baraca team. Bob Lewis will toss the ball for the Y. M. C. A. and Leighton Boone will twirl for the Baraca's. The public is cordially invited to witness the game, which starts promptly at 8 o'clock.

BIG MEET FOR TODAY.

Athletes of Leading Northern Colleges Gather in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, May 27.—Pennsylvania showed up so well in the trial today as to make it appear that the Philadelphia institution will probably carry off the inter-collegiate championships, the finals of which will be held on Franklin field tomorrow afternoon. The Pennsylvania athletes came up to the expectations of their coacher and in a number of instances qualified men in events that were not looked for.

Providing Pennsylvania wins the meet, it looks like a warm battle for second place with Michigan, Yale, Harvard, and possibly Princeton as the contenders.

Pennsylvania qualified 14 men for the finals; Yale and Princeton 12 each, Harvard 11, Cornell 8, Michigan 6, Amherst 4, Syracuse, Columbia and Wesleyan 2 each, and Rutgers, Colgate, Dartmouth, New York University, Haverford and Bowdoin one each.

No records were broken today, but the performances were all of a high order. In the 220 yard dash, Minds, of Pennsylvania, ran in 21 3-5, or one fifth of a second slower than the record held by Wefers.

Harvard, the present intercollegiate track champion, did not come up to expectations, ill luck following the Crimson team.

Summer schedule begins today. Today cars to the beach every half hour. **

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Supreme Court Delivers 24 Opinions—Mrs. Poteat Dead—State School for Blind—As to Tax Listing —Other News Notes.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 27.—The Supreme Court delivered this evening opinions in 24 appeals and decided to adjourn for the term Monday when the final batch of opinions will be ready for delivery. The list handed down today is as follows:

Volliva vs. Cedar Works, Tyrell, petition to rehear sustained; Haskett vs. Tyrell, affirmed; Godwin vs. Parker, Harnett, reversed; Richardson vs. Richardson, Union, affirmed; Bennett vs. Western Union, Anson, reversed; Moore vs. Seaboard Air Line, Moore, no error; Lancaster Trust Company vs. Mason, Durham, petition to rehear sustained; Brooks Manufacturing Co. vs. Southern Railway, Guilford, affirmed; Harper vs. Town of Lenoir, Caldwell, no error; Bryan vs. Cowles, Watague, no error; McBrayer vs. Harrill, Rutherford, reversed; Fortune vs. Hunt, Rutherford, affirmed; Harbison vs. Allen, Burke, reversed; Roberts vs. Bratt, McDowell, new trial; Hunt vs. Southern Railway, Buncombe, no error; Brookshire vs. Electric Company, Buncombe, reversed and action dismissed; Rich vs. Electric Company, Buncombe, affirmed; Wells vs. Commissioners of Cherokee, petition for mandamus dismissed; Woodbury vs. King, Cherokee, new trial; Highway Commission vs. Webb, Cherokee, affirmed; Sanford Chamberlain and Alberts Company vs. Eubanks, Cherokee, no error; Powers vs. Barker, Graham, no error; Cowan, McClung & Company vs. Ward, Swain, per curiam, affirmed; State vs. Blizzard, Duplin, per curiam, affirmed.

Mrs. Julia Annis Poteat, mother of President W. L. Poteat, Wake Forest College, and Dr. E. M. Poteat, president of Furman University, died at the home of her daughter, Miss Ida Poteat, of the Meredith College faculty, today in her 77th year, after a critical illness of several weeks. She was Miss McNeill, of Caswell, and married in 1855, James Poteat, of Caswell. The remains will be carried to Yanceyville, Caswell county, tomorrow for interment in the family burying grounds. The funeral service will be conducted by Dr. E. M. Poteat.

The Corporation Commission is sending out to tax list-takers in all parts of the State a letter of instructions as their duties as list takers which they must take up June 1st. The whole scope of tax valuations is reviewed and the listers and assessors are urged to make the assessments at money value.

"How to List," "What the List Shall Contain," "Where to List," and "How Shall Property be Listed," are some of the headings treated by the commission. There is a special treatment of the listing of incomes which must now be done by the listers in the counties instead of having the individual citizens list directly with the Corporation Commission.

The Secretary of State granted two charters today: The Lewis Dunker Co., Salisbury, capital $50,000 for brokerage business, and the Pittsburg Lumber and Manufacturing Co., Creswell, Tyrrell county, capital $10,000 by W. W. Walker and others. Commissions were sent today from the office of the Adjutant General to new officers for company E, Third Regiment, at Goldsboro. They are E. C. Prince, captain; A. O. Clement, first lieutenant, and Ben. Willingham, second lieutenant.

There has just been received at the State library here with the compliments of Mr. Louis Marshall, of New York, a copy of "Justice to the Jew. Story of What He Has Done for the World," by Rev. Madison C. Peters. The volume came with a request that as wide opportunity as possible be given for people having access to the library to read it.

The commencement exercises of the State School for the Blind here were held this morning beginning at 10:30 o'clock when the address was delivered by Mr. R. D. W. Connor, secretary to the State Historical Commission. Mr. Connor's theme was the development of a proper State pride through familiarity with North Carolina history and with the resources and advantages of the State in all those things that go to make up the civic life. There were special features by the students that added to the interest and success of the programme that marks the close of probably the most successful session the school has enjoyed. The enrollment was upwards of 350. There only was one graduate, a young woman from Macon county. The diploma was presented by Chairman J. E. Pogue of the board of trustees.

Rev. L. S. Massey, of Oxford, has been elected to the editorship of the Raleigh Christian Advocate to succeed Dr. T. N. Ivey, who retires to become editor of the Nashville Christian Advocate, organ of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, a place to which he was recently elected by the General Conference at Asheville. Participating in the election of Rev. Mr. Massey last night were Rev. J. A. Parker, Louisburg; Rev. J. G. Pegram, Hope Mills; Rev. J. E. Underwood, Littleton; H. A. Page, Aberdeen; B. B. Adams, Four Oaks; L. L. Smith, Gatesville; Rev. M. Bradshaw, Durham. Dr. Ivey expects to leave Monday for his new editorial work at Nashville.

Last night the jury in the case of J. A. Malone, the young Person county farmer on trial in the Federal Court for sending obscene letters through the mail returned a verdict of not guilty after having the case under consideration for a very short time. It had been expected that the argument would extend into the morning session today but a late session of the court enabled the counsel to finish argument and then it took Judge Connor only a short time to deliver his charge and give the case to the jury. The acquittal came as a great surprise to many. The case was hard fought. The defense set up was that while the letter in evidence was mailed by the defendant he received it from a negro woman whose identity he did not know, but was later discovered. Her name was later discovered and she was in court as a witness, insisting, however, that she knew nothing of the authorship of the letter, which was considered too vile to be read in open court, but was just passed among the jurors to be read. It was addressed to Miss Effie Riggs. It appeared that a similar letter had been received by her sister who testified that she burned the one she received. The one used in the prosecution was taken from the postoffice by the young woman's father and was read by him before he went with it to his daughter.

Charters are issued for the Greenville Ice & Coal Co., capital $50,000, J. W. Hines and others; J. C. McBrayer & Co. (Inc.) Shelby, capital $25,000, for general mercantile business.

ROBESON TO THE FRONT.

Mr. W. S. Cobb, President of Robeson Farmers' Union, Speaks Out.

(Raleigh News and Observer May 27.)

Taking a deep interest in agricultural education and in the welfare of the publis schools, there was in the city yesterday as one of the delegates with the advisory committee of the Farmers' Union here in conference with the State Department, Mr. W. S. Cobb, of Robeson, the president of the Farmers' Union of Robeson county and secretary of the State Educational Committee of the Union.

Mr. Cobb was one of the visitors at the May School of Agriculture at the A. & M. College yesterday morning, and speaking of this later in the day, he said:

"I was delighted with what I saw and heard at the May School. A great work is being done there and it will prove of benefit to the State. Taking the two weeks course in agriculture I saw twenty-seven young ladies, and I was so impressed that I told them that we wanted them in Robeson county—and that if they sent their names I would promise to secure positions for them in our schools. The truth is that our teachers must learn to teach agriculture in the public schools and if they do not they must give way to those who can. The county superintendent of schools of Robeson has told the teachers that they must learn to teach agriculture or they cannot teach in the schools of Robeson. He will give them time to learn, but they must learn. The law now requires that agriculture be taught in the public schools."

Mr. Cobb knows the value of the study of agriculture. He is a leader in the truck industry in Robeson county and has made a great success. Speaking of what Robeson county has done he said: "Last year we raised 60,000 bales of cotton in Robeson by the use of muscle. We want to use brains with the muscle and dirt and make it 120,000 bales. That is what I believe will come with education in agriculture.

What Mr. Cobb has done and is doing in Robeson county is an inspiration. Day before yesterday he shipped to New York and Philadelphia a carload of beans and peas. For the peas he is getting $2.50 a basket, and, for the beans $2 and $2.50 a basket. Between the rows of the peas and beans he has planted cotton, and so he is making two crops a year on the same land. He is next to begin shipping potatoes and says that the crops are fine and that next week the moving of the crop to Northern markets will begin. He is enthusiastic about Robeson county and he has a right to be so, for that is a county which is doing things in a practical way.

DOINGS IN OLD DUPLIN.

Growers Now Turning Attention to Vegetable Crops—Railroad.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Kenansville, May 26.—Duplin county farmers and truckers are busy these days and only the hard rains of the past few days can prevent them from tolling all day. The strawberry season is now over and the growers are turning their attention to vegetable crops all along the Coast Line. A greater variety of truck crops are grown in Duplin than any other county in Eastern Carolina, hence it will be to the interest of farmers and home-seekers to come this way. The soil is also well adapted to tobacco, cotton and corn and fine stock is being raised in the country. Since the recent rains millions of feet of timber is being rafterd on the Northeast river to Wilmington. This industry has been going on here for half a century and a considerable amount of spirits of turpentine and rosin is shipped to the markets each year. Large timber interests are now in existence in this county and railroads must traverse the fertile country in the near future. A railroad, headed this way, is now under construction at Bowden owned by the Rowland Lumber Co. If this road can be made a permanent road through Duplin and Onslow and on to Swansboro, it will open up one of the best sections of Eastern Carolina and tap the finest fishery on the Atlantic coast. It remains to be seen as to what will be done about it. Anyway the enterprise that finances it through will own one of the best paying roads in the State. The time is now at hand, and these counties will gladly welcome the road.

Polities warms up some as the time draws near for the several conventions. The Democratic primaries will be held on June 25th and the county convention will be on July 2nd. The time and places of the judicial, congressional and senatorial conventions have not been named. There are several candidates out for the office of treasurer of Duplin county. All interest centers around this berth and the best kind of Democrats are announcing themselves. The State Senator this time comes from Duplin, and Pender will endorse whoever Duplin nominates. It is claimed by conservative men that the Democratic majority in this county will be increased by three to four hundred votes. If the Republicans put out a ticket it will only be because they are obeying orders from "higher up." Of course the postmasters will have to do something, and their steps along political paths will be watched during the campaign.

The James Sprunt Institute here for girls closed two weeks ago after one of the best year's work in its history. Already quite a number of girls have wirtten the president, Rev. J. E. L. Winecoff, that they will enter the Fall term.

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MR. THOMAS' POSITION.

Leaves His Renomination in Hands of Convention—Explains.

To the Democratic Voters of the Third Congressional District:

I am not a candidate for renomination.

Having been so strongly urged not only in the District, but in the State, not to decline a nomination, if it be agreeable to the wish of the Convention to nominate me, I make this candid statement of facts.

Two years ago, on account of my health, which is now restored, and for other personal reasons, and because of my hard political fights, I voluntarily decided not to become a candidate in 1910. I so stated to some Democrats and wrote to that effect Colonel S. B. Taylor and H. A. Grady. When Mr. Grady decided not to be a candidate last Fall, he so informed me and voluntarily returned all our correspondence upon the subject, ending that matter. The Taylor letter was personal to a warm friend and I would not evade any obligation I may have incurred thereby.

I will not enter into any contest and have made no effort to secure the nomination. I am unwilling to renew a political strife which has been constant both before and in political campaigns since 1898.

I am deeply grateful for the past support and present friendship of the thousands of loyal friends by whose help I have heretofore won success in all my political battles and I heartily thank them. I desire them to feel absolutely free in their action in both the County and District Conventions. I shall be entirely satisfied with whatever action the Convention may take. No man denies I have served faithfully the people of the District and State; no man can say I have broken a promise to a friend or feared a political opponent. My record and public service are well known and I believe I have the continued good will of the District.

Elected in 1898 by a majority of 189 out of 30,000 votes cast, redeeming the District, re-elected in 1900, in the Amendment Campaign, I was compelled to face a Republican contest and Democratic opposition at the same time. Since 1898, I have had continued opposition for the nomination followed by aggressive campaigns with the Republicans and the most energetic work in Congress.

I fully appreciate the honor and value of my position and the service I might render in the event of a Democratic House of Representatives, by reason of rank and experience, but I desire the numerous candidates and other aspirants to have a free and fair field and I will not enter into a contest or seek a nomination.

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These time tables are corrected to May 22, 1910, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information as to schedules of this company and its connections.

48	42-86	48-80	via Petersburg. *Daily	80-49	83-41	49
*8:40am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	2 59pm
12:36pm	11:05pm	12:36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12:58pm	5:05am	12:58pm
.....	2:15pm	4:55pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11:30am	3:25am	.....
.....	4:00pm	7:05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9:13am	1:40am	.....
5 50pm	a8 35am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	a7:40pm	*8:15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1:00am	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4:20am	9:40pm	.....
.....	9:53am	1:20 am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11:53am	3:40am	Ar. ....West Philadelphia... Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2:15pm	6:30am	Ar. .....NEW YORK..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

42-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

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42-b85	55-89	51-83	42b85 via Wilson. *Daily	82-50	80-54	
*7:00pm	*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm	.....
3:45am	7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am	.....
6:45am	11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5:55pm	5:20am	.....
9:20am	2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:20pm	12:15am	.....
.....	11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
5 20pm	9 40am	1 45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm	.....
.....	5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
1:50pm	7:15am	.....	Ar. JACKSONVILLE ... Lv.	9:15am	7:55pm	.....
6:15pm	2:05pm	.....	Ar. .....Sanford, Fla.... Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	.....
10:35pm	7:00pm	.....	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
.....	8:55pm	.....	Ar. ST. PETERSBURG Lv.	.....	6:45am	.....
.....	10:20pm	.....	Ar.. FORT MYERS Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am	.....

55-80, 42-85 and 82-50 Pullman service. 51-83 and 80-54 Pullman service south of Florence. *Sleeper on No. 50 may be occupied in Wilmington until 7:00 A. M.

55	51	42b85-35	42b85-35 Via Wilson *Daily.	32-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	*7:00pm	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	.....	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:20pm	11:00am	.....	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	12:55pm	.....	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	*6:00am
.....	.....	9:25am	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
.....	.....	8:20pm	Ar. ..... ATLANTA ..... Lv.	7 30am	.....
.....	.....	10:15pm	Ar. ..... Macon ..... Lv.	8 55am	.....
.....	.....	1:08am	Ar. ..... Chattanooga ..... Lv.	3:00am	.....
.....	.....	6:35am	Ar. ..... Nashville ..... Lv.	9 30pm	.....
.....	.....	3:20pm	Ar. ..... Memphis ..... Lv.	1 00pm	.....
.....	.....	1:00pm	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	2 45pm	.....
.....	.....	4:30pm	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	*10 55am	.....

42b85-35 Pullman sleepers Wilmington to Wilson and Wilson to Augusta and the West. 55 and 50 Pullman sleepers between Wilmington and Columbia which may be occupied at terminals until 7:00 A. M.

57	51	55	*Daily	Daily except Sunday.	54	50	58
*6:25pm	*5:35am	*3:15pm	Lv.	WILMINGTON ... Ar.	1:40pm	12:55am	8:30am
8:10pm	7:30am	5:00pm	Ar.	CHADBOURN ... Lv.	*11:40am	*11:02pm	6:45am
11:10pm	11:50am	.....	Lv.	CHADBOURN ... Ar.	.....	5:00pm	6:40am
12:45am	1:30pm	.....	Ar.	CONWAY ... Lv.	.....	13:30pm	*5:15am

53	*Daily.	52
*8:45am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	8 05pm
11 45am	Ar. ..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.	4 50pm
12 10pm	Lv. ..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.	4 45pm
1 40pm	Ar. ..... SANFORD, N. C. ..... Lv.	*3 30pm

62	64	! Daily except Sunday.	65	63
13:25pm	15:50am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6:50pm	12:50pm
5:17pm	7:48am	Ar. ..... Jacksonville, N. C. ..... Lv.	4:51pm	10:55am
6:44pm	9:10am	Ar. ..... Nor & Sou. Jct. ..... Lv.	3:35pm	9:35am
6:50pm	9:15am	Ar. ..... NEWBERN, N. C. ..... Lv.	13:30pm	9:30am

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WEEK DAYS.

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and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 a. m. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 p. m.	

Freight

Leave Ninth and Orange streets 6:00 a. m., 10:00 a. m., 4:00 p. m., and 7:00 p. m.

Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6:00 a. m., and from 8:00 a. m. until 7:00 p. m. Freight received at Ninth and Orange streets only.

SUNDAYS.

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7:00 a. m.	7:15 a. m.
8:30 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
	9:15 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
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Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:25 p m	2:30 a m
r. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
r. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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NO. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

NO. 44—12:20 A. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

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Saturday, May 28th, 1910.

An admirer of Colonel Roosevelt thinks he would be good at writing verse. All his writings are the reverse.

A contemporary queries: "What is bad judgment?" Well, an instance of it would be for a man to put all his money in the carriage manufacturing business when even the cook wouldn't ride in a carriage for fear of passing some of her friends "motoring" in the opposite direction.

The Boston Herald tells us that "the people like to be humbugged." One of the evidences that the Herald is correct in the assertion is that every four years they are humbugged into giving the Republican party an extension of its long lease of power at Washington.

Because of a recent incident in the Ballinger case, the Washington Herald has expressed the opinion that "it is a wise statesman who knows his own stenographer nowadays." We should say that it is a wiser statesman who can succeed in keeping his stenographer from knowing him.

"What is a muck-raker?" inquires a magazine. Under the circumstances we shall have to say that a muck-raker is a person who writes flagrant articles for the newspapers and magazines, making exposures that cannot be met with any kind of excuse in this era of civic righteousness.

Boston is puffed up with the expectation of a visit from the King of Siam and is very much interested in the circumstance that he has 40 wives. The King may not be at all interested in Boston. He really may be a fugitive from connubial injustice and couldn't escape without being compelled to pass through Boston.

Dr. MacArthur, a New York preacher, sacrilegiously refers to Colonel Roosevelt as "that King of earthly Kings, Theodore Roosevelt." When a preacher does go wrong he goes in a lump. Some other fellow wants Roosevelt to turn poet. That might be a good idea, for when he gets to writing verse he never will stand a chance for another nomination.

We are looking forward with pleasure to those Bornemann songfests. The "Judge's" glee club promises Wilmington melody and mirth, ditty, song, and hymn. As he is to be the director of the songsters there shall come to their auditors gleefulness, cheerfulness and enjoyment unconfined. It will be a band of good and jolly singers, gifted in lyrics and hymnics.

The Rev. L. S. Massey, of Oxford, has been chosen for the editorial chair of the Raleigh Christian Advocate, to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of the Rev. T. N. Ivey, D. D., to the editorship of the Nashville Christian Advocate, the organ of the M. E. Church, South. Mr. Massey will be a worthy successor to the able Dr. Ivey, for he is a profound scholar and well equipped writer. He is a graduate of Trinity College and is at present pastor of the Methodist Church at Oxford.

The Star has heretofore neglected to State that the Hon. John G. Carlisle, formerly of Kentucky, once a distinguished member of President Cleveland's cabinet, and now a more or less shyster lawyer of New York, is now persona non grata in this shop. We once honored him and recognized his ability, but his activity in connection with the repudiated bond syndicate in endeavoring to injure the credit of North Carolina in the financial circles of this country, make him so disreputable that we can no longer give him our distinguished consideration.

TAFT'S TRAVELING SALARY.

We regret to note the action of Democrats in the House in Washington on Thursday in opposing the plan to get President Taft out of the hole into which he has gotten by traveling extensively all over the country to meet with and talk to the people.

The President's great Western and Southern tour, during which he met and addressed millions of people, including thousands of North Carolinians and South Carolinians at Wilmington last November, cost the President more than the annual allowance made by Congress for that specific purpose. That annual allowance is $25,000 and how much more than that the President spent is not stated. There is a deficit, however, and the proposition in the House was to authorize the President to draw on his next year's $25,000 traveling money in order to make up what he is out in his trips last year. When there is a certainty that Congress will eventually let the President have the money, the Democratic fight against it is futile and serves no good purpose.

Now is not the time ofr any opposition to the "swing around the circle" custom. Congress should recoup the President first and at some future time take up the question and settle it in a different way. These tours of the Presidents are made in response to a demand of the people who want to get in touch with the President of their Republic. They are really an imposition and hardship upon the Presidents and while no doubt the Presidents would like to take a trip now and then, we havo no doubt that they would really prefer not to be made a convenience of by the whole nation. The Presidents are exceedingly obliging and they put themselves to great inconvenience and a tremendous amount of exertion to comply with all the demands made upon them by the people who really wish to see and honor the head of the Nation.

It is not necessary to pay the President any more than is coming to him, but it would have been more graceful and becoming to come to the aid of the President in this emergency and a little later slip a notice in his pay envelope informing him that he would have to travel less or travel cheaper. If Congress and the people want the President to be a traveling show and exhaust his lungs and overdraw his vocabulary, his expenses should be paid without making a sorry spectacle of the Nation in the eyes of the world by making a row about it in the National legislative body. There ought to be some other way or some other time for settling the question.

By its action on Thursday with reference to reimbursing the President out of next year's traveling money, Congress really demonstrates its disapproval of making the thing cost more than Congress appropriates for it. Besides showing its hand in that respect, little was gained, because the President can stave off his traveling bills till he gets his next year's envelope. There arises, however, a doubt whether it was quite the proper thing to refuse to come to the President's relief. It was just a little mean to do it, but the Persident also made a breach of propriety in furnishing the names of his guests, even if they did enjoy his hospitality and then went back on him. It is really "much adoo about nothing."

Aside from all this, we always have had our doubts about the good policy of the Nation's paying any President's expenses to travel anywhere. While they are on the rounds they are bound to talk politics and it looks too much like making all the people pay for partisan speeches for part of the people. It might be different if political speeches were cut out on the tours and speeches were made suitable for people of all kinds of politics.

After all, the House agreed on Tuesday to the appropriation of $250,000 for President Taft's tariff board. The insurgents who the day before voted with the Democrats to cut it out went back to the regulars and the appropriation was made by a strict party vote.

Secretary Ballinger still fights off resignation but we see nothing but resignation to the inevitable for consumers, in view of the fact that increase of wages and salaries is being demanded and granted all over the country.

A minister declares that no woman can have any excuse for saying cuss words. Mrs. Hettie Green is prepared to file a dissenting opinion. She has just lost a case in court and believes that people are after her money.

Lots of folks may approve of the boom of Governor Marshall, of Indiana, for president, but they may be a little modest and backward in seconding his nomination at the hands of the Hon. Tom Taggart.

Some muck-rakers are now muck-raking the muck-rakers. Some of the muck-raking is only the G. O. P.'s impotent reply to writers who have skinned the elephant.

A soft drink is a hard blow for a hard drinker.

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WILD CAT EVANGELISM.

"Wild cat evangelism" sounds pretty rough but that is what it was called by Dr. Chas. R. Nisbet, of Nashville, Tennessee, at the closing session of the fiftieth General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church at Lewisburg, W. Va., on Thursday. Dr. Nisbet is said to have "denounced" a certain style of religious work which has gotten to be quite common in this country during the past quarter of a century, and among other things he said the following:

"What is needed is a sane evangelism. There is a great deal of evangelism today that is answerable to no church. It is a wild cat evangelism. It is doing more to prejudice this form of service than any two things at work in this land."

It is doubtful whether much good will follow the opposition to irresponsible evangelism at this late day, but it must be said that there is a very strong sentiment against certain forms and methods of professional evangelism. It must be admitted that some of the professional evangelists, operating on their own hook, do a great deal of good but it is clearly evident that the work would be much more effective and receive more popular approval if the evangelists were sent out under the auspices of organized church bodies. When a large portion of most any community will encourage free-lance evangelists and will co-operate with them, another large portion of people will hold aloof because they cannot approve some of the methods which are common with certain evangelists throughout the United States. Much harm is done to a good cause by an apparent money-getting feature of professional evangelism and whether it is right or wrong and whether or not "the laborer is worthy of his hire," it is calculated to do injustice if not injury to a work that should have no opposition at all.

Some of the evangelistic methods actually call forth a considerable amount of contempt and very frequently what might result in good has the opposite effect or none at all. We do not see that there is any remedy for it except the creation of a sentiment in disapproval of it. This sentiment would have to be created by denominational authorities and that might make it appear that they were opposing the advancement of a cause which they are striving to extend. It is the privilege of every preacher or any man to go about and hold meetings if he chooses to do so and there is neither civic nor ecclesiastical laws that may prevent him from doing and saying what ever he pleases and make a business of it if it suits him. It is a profound truth, nevertheless, that evangelists would be received with more confidence if they go out with the credentials of the governmental organizations of the different churches.

This is said because Dr. Nisbet's remarks before the General Assembly evidently were based upon the growing disapproval of some of the work which he denounces as "wild cat evangelism." His strong reference to it emphasizes the fact that a certain harmful influence is being recognized and a layman can take notice of it as well as the clergy.

SUBLIME WIFELY LOYALTY.

If for no other reason, there is a widespread sentiment that a pardon for Charles W. Morse should be granted for the sake of his devoted and heroic wife. In her crushing humiliation and overwhelming distress she has demonstrated the traits of the truest type of woman, and that is worth while rewarding in these days when foo frequently the case is "off with the old and on with the new." A true wife's faithfulness, fidelity and fortitude have been sublimely illustrated by Mrs. Morse, and these qualities in woman are as deserving of a monument as are the valor, heroism and statesmanship of man. These noble qualities so beautifully and touchingly displayed by the anguished wife of the unfortunate banker—it matters not what he has been or is now—are deserving of a tribute. Her heroism is of the monumental kind, but an impressive tribute to those lofty virtues in this devoted wife, and a recognition of universal wifely loyalty, can be paid with a pardon for the husband who languishes in the Federal prison at Atlanta. Amid the bitterness of anguish and the inspiration of hope, the wife has been the greater sufferer for the sentence which took her husband from her side and made convicts his consorts.

A penitentiary sentence fell to the lot of perhaps an over reckless financier but the humiliation and disgrace which was also his share of wrongdoing did not turn her away from him in scorn. In the hour of trial and trouble and during the days of confinement behind prison bars, there abided a true love that was unshaken, a fidelity that has been marvelous, a faithfulness that has been unfaltering, a devotion that has been touching and pathetic, a fortitude that has been Spartan—the traits which sublimely confirm the Bible truth that "A good wife is above all riches.'

Amid ruin and chaos in finance, with fortune swept away, under condemnation and judgment in the house of justice, for Morse, Mrs. Charles W. Morse, for her husband's sake, has sacrificed her Fifth Avenue house and must soon vacate. Besides all that sacrifice she will sell all her household effects and art treasures—everything!—for the purpose of raising funds to continue her fight for her husband's release from prison. She has gone from affluence and luxury to poverty, for a man's sake, in order to continue her fight for her husband's return to her.

A tribute to glorious womanhood lies in the hands of President Taft, and to secure it Mrs. Morse is "turning heaven and earth" in securing names to a monster petition that is being circulated in cities North and South, praying for Federal pardon—the forgiveness of a Nation. No doubt, for her sake, that petition will go in with the signature of thousands of persons whose names on the list will stand for pity—for mercy! All for the sake of a faithful wife and a true woman—the noblest work of God.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Prohibition is cutting a swath in politics and will keep up the lick. A man chasing an office always uses everything at hand to land. Wilmington and Raleigh voted against prohibition and they are still of the same mind; at least Wilmington is, for she had a primary the other day and the Morally Stunted walked off with everything.—Greensboro Record.

According to a story sent out from Atlanta, the Southern Railway has just let contracts for locomotives, rolling stock, steel rails, etc., involving a total expenditure of over $7,000,000. Charlotte, being situated on the main line, will share its portion of the good effects of improved facilities for handling the growing business of this road in the Southern States.—Charlotte News.

The Farmers' Union is doing a great work in emphasizing the need of teaching agriculture in the public schools, and they are receiving the hearty co-operation of State Superintendent Joyner and President Hill, of the Agricultural and Mechanical College. At this time there are twenty-five young women teachers who are taking a short course in agriculture at the A. & M. College, so as to be prepared to teach rudimentary agriculture in the schools. They are the pioneers of an army of young women who will equip themselves for this practical instruction. President Alexander, of the Farmers' Union, who made a fine speech on this subject at the A. & M. College yesterday, urged the importance of putting some practical agricultural articles in the reading books used by the children in the public schools to the end that they will become more interested in farming. The tendency has been to educate from the farm. The need is to educate TO the farm. This is the new sort of education that is being encouraged and emphasized, and it will result in better instruction and in making many blades of grass grow where now we have only a few.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Next in importance to the right kind and proper amount of self-confidence, is the confidence one inspires in the minds of friends. North Carolina has made rapid strides in the past decade and hopes for still longer ones in the ten years to come. Such confidence in the future of the State as was expressed the other day by President Jay W. Sutton, of Michigan, at the National Building and Loan Association's opening session in this city is not only extremely gratifying but is of a kind to inspire our people to their utmost efforts. "I believe," said Mr. Sutton, "every delegate here from outside of North Carolina believes that old as is North Carolina's history and brilliant as it is, its future will far surpass it in both respects. We believe that you have in your State possibilities of everything that any set of people can make out of any State. And we believe, too, that you have a set of people capable of utilizing your opportunities." This deliberate expression of belief on the part of a gentleman whose experience so well qualifies him to judge of the matter he discusses, should be taken to heart by every citizen of North Carolina as an encouragement and an incentive. Opportunity, coupled with capability to utilize that oportunity is what our distinguished visitor from Michigan sees in our situation, and more than these two what could any Commonwealth desire?—Charlotte Observer.

The Republican party in North Carolina seems to be between two fires in making nominations for offices. The leaders feel that if they choose old-line Republicans who have been closely identified with the party in this State in the past they will only be able to command the support of the regular dyed-in-the-wool Republican voters while, on the other hand, if they select "business Republicans" or "near-Democrats", men who have never been active in party work, they will lose the support of many of the old-timers. As evidence of the fact that this kind of thing is "cutting some figure" the following comment of the Asheville Gazette-News (Rep.) on the candidacy of Mr. McNinch, of Charlotte, for Congress is significant, to say the least: "We may be wholly mistaken in this, but we have somehow got the idea that Mr. McNinch is one of those Republicans, if he has got to the point of admitting his affiliation with that party in State matters, who would take the first train to Washington the day after his election, along with John Motley Morehead, and use the prominence acquired through Republican support to push along the impression in Washington that the only way to build up a respectable Republican party in the South in general, and in North Carolina in particular, is to kill off all the old-time Republicans who had the hardihood to acknowledge their Republicanism at a period when to do so was not popular."—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

In order to win, the Republican party must offer something better than the Democracy and what is something of much more vital interest to those who are anxious to see the party succeed, something better in the way of leadership than we now have. The present organization, whether rightly or wrongly, is accused of desiring to perpetuate themselves in power by remaining the minority party. So long as there are no Republican Congressmen to dispense patronage, under the custom now prevalent, the State Committee, or rather its heads, have the disposal of all Federal offices, its recommendation being practically equivalent to appointment in districts where there is no Republican Congressman. We say rightly or wrongly, for a denial is as easily made as an accusation, but the fact remains that that is the feeling and sentiment among the rank and file of the Republican party and to even a greater degree among that class from whom recruits must come, if victory is to be won, from the conservative, independent voter now on the other side. As the Mount Airy Leader very rightly says, the conditions call for a change in the personnel of the party leadership. The distrust that exists now must be elimtnated. A new chairman, surrounded by men whose motives are plainly the party good and not self-aggrandizement, will work wonders. Under such conditions, with a platform the justness of which is demonstrated by the anxiety of the Democracy to adopt it now themselves, will carry us on to victory, but not until then.—Raleigh Caucasian. (Rep.)

HORSE STOLEN AT WARSAW.

Stables of Mr. C. C. Boney Invaded. Rev. R. L. Davis Speaks.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, N. C., May 27.—Some unknown person stole a horse from the stalls of Mr. C. C. Boney at Rose Hill, last night, rode him through the country to Warsaw, reaching this place probably about day-break, and here turned him loose on the edge of town. Whether the guilty party took the horse with the idea of trying to sell or trade him, or just to help himself along on his journey, is not known. If with the first mentioned purpose, however, his nerve failed him as daylight began to dawn, he then deciding to abandon his self-appropriated steed and employ some other means of locomotion. Mr. Boney tracked his horse all the way from Rose hill to Warsaw, reaching here at 11:30 A. M. No clew has yet been found as to the identity of the thief.

Rev. R. L. Davis, Supt. of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League, made a "great" speech here last evening on law enforcement and how to kill blind tigers. The address of Rev. Mr. Davis showed that he is thoroughly conversant with the prohibition situation in the State. He was heard here by an appreciative audience, many of whom were made to see their duty in the matter of the prohibition law enforcement in a new light, and as a result of which will be active in their efforts to assist law abiding citizens in the suppression of blind tigers, should occasion demand.

Lion Fondles a Child.

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is sometimes great when least regarded. Often it comes through Colds, Croup, and Whooping Cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C., "We always give it to him when he takes cold. It's a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, 50c. $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

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MEETING OF CITY OFFICIALS

Programme for Carolina Municipal Association Arranged Friday at Meeting of Executive Committee in Charlotte.

Capt. Thos. D. Meares, clerk of the Board of Audit and Finance, returned yesterday at noon from Charlotte, where he had been to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Carolina Municipal Association, of which he is secretary. The purpose of the meeting was to arrange the programme for the second annual convention which will be held in Winston-Salem Thursday and Friday of next week and those present, besides Capt. Meares, were Mayor O. B. Eaton, of Winston; Mayor F. H. Vogler, of Salem, and Capt. T. S. Franklin, formerly Mayor of Charlotte.

The sessions of the convention will be held in the palm room of the Zinzendorf Hotel, which is especially adapted to such gatherings. The association will be called to order at 12 o'clock Thursday by Mr. T. S. Franklin, of Charlotte, the president, and after the invocation by Rev. Dr. H. A. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Winston, the address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor O. B. Eaton. The response will be made by Mayor W. D. Laroque, Jr., of Kinston, following which Mayor T. W. Hawkins, of Charlotte, will deliver an address on "Desirable Economy in Co-ordinate Management of City and County Finances." After the appointment of committees and reports from officers adjournment will be taken until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when Col. F. H. Fries, a prominent banker of Winston, will address the association on "Municipal Finances", followed by discussion, led by Captain Meares, of this city, on "Municipal Accounting." Thursday night at 8 o'clock a meeting will be held in the Elks' Auditorium at which an address will be made by Dr. L. Lunsden, past assistant surgeon of U. S. Army on "How Mayor and Council Can Prevent Typhoid Fever." One hour later the visitors will take special cars in front of the auditorium and go to Salem College, where an informal reception will be tendered. Friday morning the association will be addressed by Mayor Fred H. Tate, of High Point, on "Results of Commission Government at High Point", followed by a general discussion by all mayors present, and an address by Alderman Fred W. Bonitz, of Wilmington, on 'Economic Handling of Garbage". The feature of the afternoon session will be an address by City Attorney Thomas W. Pitman, of Henderson, on "Comparison of Various Forms of Municipal Charters," followed by a general discussion on prevention and sale of liquor. An automobile ride tendered by the Auto Club, of Winston, will bring the convention to a formal close.

JUDGE ERWIN ACCEPTS CALL.

Former Wilmington Minister Goes to Savannah Church.

Many Wilmington friends of Rev. J. A. Erwin, who until recently was pastor of the Christian church here, will be interested to know that he has accepted a call to Sevannah. The Morning News, of that city, has the following to say:

"The Rev. J. A. Erwin, who has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Christian Church, arrived yesterday, and will immediately take up his new work.

"Mr. Erwin is accompanied by Mrs. Erwin. The parsonage at No. 909 Howard street is now being overhauled, furnished, and fitted up, and will be ready for occupancy by Mr. and Mrs. Erwin shortly. Both Mr. and Mrs. Erwin have fallen in love with Savannah, and are elated over the fact that they are to make this their home.

"It will be remembered that Mr. Erwin stopped over here recently while en route from Oklahoma to New York, and his preaching at the Christian Church was so well liked that the congregation immediately decided to tender him a call as its pastor. His acceptance followed a few days of consideration. Mr. Erwin is a man of pleasing address and makes friends easily. He attended prayer meeting at the Christian Church last night. He will preach Sunday."

LOSS IN CUSTOMS DUTY.

Tariff Removed From Nitrate of Soda —$15,000 Decrease at Port.

The removal of duty on foreign imports of nitrate of soda by the Payne-Aldrich act last Summer will cause a decrease of $15,000 in the annual showing of dutiable imports for the Wilmington Custom House for the fiscal year ending June 30th, according to Collector of Customs Keith.

Notwithstanding this fact the imports up to the present have equalled the imports of last year. Collector Keith stated yesterday that an excellent showing will be made. The duty collected for the last fiscal year by the Custom House here was something over $9,000. Before the tariff was removed by the recent act, the duty on nitrate of soda, which is used in the manufacture of fertilizers, was three-tenths cents per pound. The receipts of this mineral product have been heavier this year than usual.

Summer schedule begins today. Today cars to the beach every half hour. **

A LARGE CONTRACT.

When J. Hicks Bunting, the enterprising druggist, first offered a 50 cent package orf Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price, and guaranteed to return the money if it did not cure, he thought it probable from their experience with other medicines for these diseases, that they would have a good many packages returned. But although they have sold hundreds of bottles, not one has been brought back.

J. Hicks Bunting wants every person in Wilmington who has constipation, dyspepsia, headaches, or liver trouble, to come to their store or send J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. 25 cents by mail and get 60 doses of the best medicine ever made.

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WHISKEY CASE FALLS FLAT

When Put on Witness Stand Justice Could Not Remember Having Purchased Whiskey From F. M. Rivenbark.

When placed on the stand in the Recorder's court yesterday morning as the main and only witness against F. M. Rivenbark, charged with selling whiskey in violation of the prohibition law, James Justice, who caused the issuance of the warrant, failed to tell the same story he is alleged to have told the police as to purchases made by him from the defendant, but on the contrary claimed that he could not remember ever having bought any whiskey from Rivenbark. The case, therefore, at the request of Marsden Bellamy, Esq., county attorney, was dismissed.

The warrant against Rivenbark, who conduct a near-beer saloon at No. 5 Market street, was sworn out by Sergeant E. J. Grimsley, upon information furnished by Justice, but on the witness stand yesterday morning the latter testified that although he was in the establishment of Rivenbark on the date of the alleged sale he could not remember having purchased any whiskey. He said that he was pretty full on that date and could not swear that he purchased any whiskey in Rivenbark's place. Justice, the police say, had promised to get others to corroborate the testimony he promised to give to the effect that he had bought whiskey from Rivenbark, but he failed to furnish a single one. There being no other witnesses, County Attorney Bellamy, after the testimony of Justice, stated that he would not ask for the conviction of the defendant, and the action was dismissed by the Recorder. The defendant was represented by Walter P. Gafford, Esq.

The Recorder announced his decision in the case against Leslie Winner, white, tried Tuesday on the charge of assault with serious injury on W. F. Bedell, at Carolina Beach some days ago, the judgment of the court being that the defendant pay a fine of $50 and costs. The defendant was not in court, being out under $200 bond, and it is not known whether or not he will take an appeal to the Superior Court.

IMPORTANT MEETING U. C. T.

Transaction of Business and Initiation of Candidates Tonight.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of Cape Fear Council, No. 374, United Commercial Travelers, will be held in Council Hall, in the Murchison National Bank building, at 8:15 o'clock this evening and it is urged that every member be present as business of importance will be considered and several candidates will be initiated. This is the last regular meeting of the Council before the meeting of the Grand Council of the Carolinas, which will be held in this city Friday and Saturday of next week. The various committees in charge of arangements for the Grand Council meeting are requested to meet in Council Hall at 10:30 o'clock this morning at which final arrangements will be made. This is a very important meeting and every member of the several committees is urged to be present.

A STEAMER FROM CHILI.

Holmeside Brings Cargo of Nitrate of Soda to Seaboard.

The British steamer Holmeside, Capt. Perry, with cargo of nitrate of soda from the West coast of South America, arrived yesterday at Southport after a long voyage of several thousand miles, and will come up to the city to discharge next Monday.

The Holmeside brings cargo to W. R. Grace & Co., to be discharged at the Seaboard. The steamer loaded at St. Lucia and after coming around Cape Horn stopped at Montevideo for coal. She made about an average trip. Several steamers have brought cargoes here during the Winter from the West coast of South America.

The Holmeside is drawing 23 feet of water and will be lightered next Monday before she attempts to make the trip up the river to her dock. The vessel is to F. A. Fetter, agent.

MARRIED ON SICK BED.

Miss Lila M. Andrews Becomes Bride of Mr. Levi M. Briggs.

While lying on a sick bed at the home of her mother, No. 112 1-2 Dock street, at 8 o'clock last evening Miss Lila M. Andrews, the young daughter of Mrs. Florence Andrews, was united in marriage to Mr. Levi M. Briggs, formerly of Decatur, Ill., and who lived in Wilmington some months ago, the ceremony being performed by Justice G. W. Bornemann, it being the request of the bride that Justice Bornemann officiate. Mr. Briggs has been living elsewhere during the past few months and returned to the city yesterday morning. The bride's condition is improved and her rapid recovery is expected.

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CARDINAL GIBBONS INVITED

Will Probably Attend Dedication of Handsome New Catholic Church in This City—Memories of Vicar Apostolic While Here.

Yesterday's Baltimore Sun prints the following story which will be read with interest in Wilmington, not only by the Catholics, but by all who recall the days when the distinguished and beloved Cardinal Gibbons was Vicar Apostolic in Wilmington.

"Cardinal Gibbons has received an invitation to preside at the dedicatory exercises of the new St. Thomas' Catholic Church, Wilmington, N. C., where he lived from 1868 to 1872, when he was the vicar apostolic of that State.

"Rev. Christopher Dennen, pastor, extended the invitation. The date of the dedication has not been fixed, in order that it may be so arranged that the Cardinal can be present.

"Father Gibbons was appointed vicar apostolic of North Carolina by the Second Plenary Council of Baltimore in 1866, but it was two years before the appointment was confirmed and he began his work. He found that there was a small building on a narrow lot which he was to use as a church, and he began to get funds for the purchase of adjoining ground. In a short time he had raised $7,000; he bought a strip of land in order that the building might be extended, and later added the lot on which the new church is now being erected.

"On his arrival in Wilmington he found that there was no rectory attached to the church, but he contrived to fit up quarters in the rear of the church and lived there for some time. Later he erected a small addition.

"The old church in which the Cardinal worked and lived is still standing and has been purchased by Mother Catherine Drexel, of the Order of the Blessed Sacrament. It will be used as a place of worship for the Catholic negroes of Wilmington as soon as the new church is completed. Mother Catherine is especially interested in the work of the negro and Indian missions.

"Those who know the extent of the Cardinal's recent labors in St. Mary's county are expressing wonder that he could endure the hardships of travel in carriages over the rough roads of that county. But here again his strong determination and love for the people under his charge were manifested. Rev. P. J. O'Carroll, treasurer of Loyola College, who accompanied him on his trip, said yesterday that he was astonished at the vitality of the Cardinal, who went through rain and spent many hours on the roads to complete the programme which he had mapped out. During the trip, which occupied five and one-half days, he confirmed 1,025 persons and traveled over about 85 miles of road. There was rain on two days, and the other days were very warm. The Cardinal made 19 addresses, none of them less than 15 minutes long, and some of them occupying a half hour each.

"But he was compensated for the hardships by the appreciation shown by the people everywhere he went. As he approached each small town a mounted escort met him and conducted him to the parish rectory. When he was leaving, the same escorts would precede him to the outskirts of the town. In the villages the people flocked around him, eagerly grasped his hand and were rewarded with a pleasant smile and a few kind words. Those who entertained the Cardinal used every effort to make him comfortable. He is especially interested in St. Mary's county and has great hopes for its future."

SUNDAY SERVICES

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets. Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., Sabbath school at 4 P. M., W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public cordially invited, free seats. Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., expects to preach at Castle Hayne tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Advent Christian Church, Fourth and Church streets. Rev. C. H. Sweet, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M., subject, "Hope Unto the End. Sunday school at 3 P. M., preaching at 7:45 P. M., topic, "Responsibility of the Individual For Backsliding." The Earnest Workers meet Wednesday at 3:30 P. M. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:45 P. M., followed by the monthly church conference, when matters of the greatest importance to the welfare of the church will be considered. Let every member attend, if possible.

Steamer's Sunday Trip.

The steamer Wilmington begins her regular Sunday schedule tomorrow, leaving the city in the morning at 9:15 A. M., and again in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The steamer will make one trip to Southport and two to Carolina Beach. Carolina Beach will be formally opened for the Summer tomorrow. The fare to either Southport or Carolina Beach for the round trip on Sunday will be 25 cents. The last boat returns to the city at 7 P. M.

Fine Saturday Bill at Bijou.

A Biograph subject will be shown at the popular Bijou today as the feature picture. It is entitled "The Kid". One would naturally assume that it depicted the impish pranks of a mischievous youngster, and, in a measure it does, but his innocent mischief has a delectable result. The story is interestingly told by motion pictures.

Summer schedule begins today. Today cars to the beach every half hour. **

Take in That Newbern Excursion Monday, June 6th, Will be the Excursion of the Year.

The first excursion of the year to Newbern will be run over the Atlantic Coast Line by Thomas H. Knight, whose excursions are always a delightful treat. Don't let this opportunity to go to historic Newbern go by, but get in line and be counted among the happy throng of those who know a good thing, and enjoy a day of genuine pleasure among people whose hospitality is proverbial.

Train will leave Union Station at 7:30 A. M. and will leave Newbern on the return at 10:00 P. M.

The fare is so small that no one need miss it—only $1.50 for the round trip.

It will be a hard matter to find a better trip, especially when the cost is considered. ma 27-9t.

BEACH PROPERTY OWNERS

Held Important Meeting Last Night Commuters' Rate on Suburban Line and Fire Protection Were Discussed.

At a largely attended meeting of the property owners of the Town of Wrightsville Beach, held in the directors' room of the Murchison National Bank last night, with Mayor Thos. H. Wright presiding and Mr. R. H. Northrop, town clerk and treasurer, recording the proceedings, the petition to the Tidewater Power Company for commuters' passenger rate on the suburban line to all bona-fide residents there during the Summer, was discussed at some length, after which a committee of three was appointed to confer with General Manager Skelding and the board of directors of the company and report at a later meeting.

General Manager A. B. Skelding, of the Tidewater Power Company, was present and took part in the discussions, giving it as his personal opinion that the company could not afford to grant the petition of the property owners for a round-trip rate of 25 cents to the bona-fide Summer residents. Mr. Skelding pointed out that to grant the petition would eventually mean a general demand for the lowering of the rates for occasional patrons of the line which could not be granted by the company on account of the great amount of money required to maintain and operate the line. He said that if the round-trip rate to the beach was 25 cents the business of the company would have to be increased 50 per cent. in order to receive the same amount of net revenue that is now received, this being due to the increased cost of maintenance and operation. He also spoke of the great amount annually spent in keeping the trestle across the sound in good repair. Mr. Skelding also gave rates on other lines in support of his argument that the 35 cents was reasonable and equitable. He brought out several fine points from the Tidewater Power Company's side of the question. He said, however, that the question would have to be decided by the board of directors.

George Rountree, Esq., thought that the rate petitioned for was eminently reasonable. He was certain that there was no one in Wilmington more anxious than he to see the company earn a fair dividend on its investment and he complimented Mr. Skelding and the company for the excellent service that is being given. He said that he had listened with interest to the reasons advanced by Mr. Skelding why the company would refuse to grant the rate, but he failed to catch any adequate reason for it. He contrasted conditions at the beach some years ago and at present, showing the great increase in travel. The frequency of the travel of the beach residents, the background of the service, was pointed out as a strong reason why the petition should be granted, besides those who would enjoy this rate pay the company freight and are users of lights, etc. He did not think that 35 cents was an unjust rate for the occasional traveler, and if 35 cents was a reasonable rate for an occasional patron of the line then 25 cents was a reasonable and equitable rate for a man who makes the trip twice a day. Mr. Rountree expressed the hope that the company would grant the request without making it necessary for the property owners to appeal to the Corporation Commission for relief.

Mr. Samuel Bear said he thought that the frequent patrons of the line should be given some concession by the company and moved that a committee of three be appointed to confer with Mr. Skelding and the board of directors of the Tidewater Power Co., with a view of getting at a reasonable and equitable rate and make report at a later meeting.

Mr. J. A. Taylor stated that he was certain that the beach property owners would not, even if they had the power, do anything unjust toward the Tidewater Power Company. He thought that 35 cents was probably an equitable rate for the transient patron of the line, but not for the regular, and then spoke of the marvelous change in the tendency and the character of the travel on the line. A few years ago it was a rare thing to see a "shirtwaist" on one of the cars Sunday afternoons, but now each car is crowded with "shirtwaists" on Sunday. The volume of travel is a sequel to the increased facilities, he said. Mr. Taylor offered as an amendment to Mr. Bear's motion that the meeting endorse the petition. Mr. Bear accepted the amendment. The motion was then voted upon and carried unanimously. Mayor Wright appointed on the committee Messrs. Samuel Bear, J. A. Taylor and George Rountree. Mr. Rountree said that he would be very busy with court next week and asked to be excused. Mr. M. J. Corbett was then appointed in his stead.

Several property owners of Greenville Sound were present by invitation, having understood that the request for change of rates was a general one to apply to all points along the line. A petition from 60 residents of Greenville was read by Mr. A. L. Vann asking for a rate of 10 cents from the Greenville station to Wilmington, or 15 cents from Greenville to the city and return. Mr. Vann said that additional signatures could have been secured. The present round-trip rate to Greenville is 25 cents. Mr. J. A. Taylor said that he did not want to do anything against the residents of Greenville in their efforts for a lower rate, but did not think that the meeting should take any action upon the petition, which view was shared by all other beach property owners.

The matter of providing fire protection was brought up by Mayor Wright, who had requested Mr. H. E. Bonitz, a beach property owner and largest stockholder in the Beach Water Company, to be present and make a statement with reference to plans for installing a system to meet the requirements. Mr. Bonitz said that he had given the matter much consideration and was satisfied that fire protection should be provided and declared that his company was willing to co-operate with property owners in installing a system of waterworks for this purpose. His idea was to put down water mains, with some 50 hydrants at intervals on the beach, to which may be attached hose in case of fire, the water to be secured from a well to be located about the centre of the beach. A large tank would be erected and a pump installed of sufficient capacity to afford ample protection. All he wanted was fair returns on the investment. Mr. Samuel Bear moved that the matter be referred to the Board of Aldermen with power to act. The motion carried unanimously. All the property owners were of the opinion that fire protection should be provided just as soon as possible. The meeting adjourned at 10:15 o'clock.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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TO TAKE 20,000 MILE TRIP.

Editor Roscower to Tour in West Canada and Mexico.

Editor A. Roscower, of the Goldsboro Headlight, gave The Star the honor of a call yesterday. His visit gave pleasure to the staff, but it was learned with regret that he will not be here to attend the annual press convention next month. He will be absent from the State, as he expects to leave Goldsboro next Thursday for another of his extended jaunts to the Western States, the end of his journey being San Francisco. He will also include Canada and Mexico in his itinerary and his tour will keep him abroad till Fall.

Mr. Roscower will travel about 20,000 miles, his object being to make a study of the educational, industrial and agricultural interests in the various States and countries, together with an examination of the resources of various localities. He will carry with him letters from Governor W. W. Kitchin and United States Senator F. M. Simmons, both of whom vouch for Goldsboro's well known editor as "a gentleman of ability, integrity and genuine worth." the Star wishes for him a pleasant and profitable trip.

NEGRO YOUTH DROWNED.

Lost Balance and Fell Into River While Fishing on Wharf.

While fishing from the wharf of Messrs. W. L. and R. A. Parsley, near foot of Orange street, about 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, a negro youth, apparently eight or ten years old, whose name no one seemed to know, lost his balance and toppled over into the river and was drowned. His one cry for help brought to the wharf several colored people, but it was too late to rescue the lad. Mr. William Simpson, night watchman for the Wilmington Iron Works, gave the colored men some hooks and ropes and they fished for the body for an hour or more, but their efforts were in vain. They will probably make further efforts this morning to recover the body. From what could be learned the boy's parents are dead, or at least he has not been living with them. None of the negroes around the wharf seemed to know the name of the boy ,though they had seen him quite often fishing in the same place.

Don't forget to make a deposit in the Wilmington Savings and Trust Co. Money deposited between now and June 2nd will draw a full quarter's interest on September 1st. ma 28-5t

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An Ideal Husband

is patient, even with a nagging wife, for he knows she needs help. She may be so nervous and run-down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, troubled with loss of appetite, headache, sleepleseness, constipation or fainting and dizzy spells, she needs Electric Bitters—the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used them and become healthy and happy Try them only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

SHE BELIEVES SAVED LIFE

Lady in Tecumseh, Okla., Has Strong Faith in Benefit She Obtained From Cardui, the Woman's Tonic.

Tecumseh, Okla.—"I do believe, says Mrs. Eliza Epperson, of this place, "that if it hadn't been for Cardui, I wouldn't have been living today.

I am so glad that I began using Cardui, when I did. Before I began to use it, I was in bad health and suffered considerable pain in head shoulders, back, side, limbs, and lower part of my body.

Cardui helped me more than anything I ever did take, and I am in better health, since taking it, than I have been in, for four (4) years."

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You don't need a doctor to tell you when you do need a tonic.

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ATLANTIC YACHT CLUB.

Opens for Season Today—Number of Improvements Made.

The Atlantic Yacht Club will open for the season at Wrightsville Beach today and members are reminded that they may take advantage of the opportunities offered from this date. Mr. Walton, a son, of Mr. James Walton, of the Carolina Club, has been engaged as janitor and Mr. H. G. Fennell will be in charge as superintendent. A number of improvements have been made to the property, including the installation of electric lights in all the sleeping rooms and iron bedsteads There are also other improvements and members will find it quite pleasant to make headquarters at the Club House while at the beach.

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Hanover Lodge, I. O. O. F. Elects.

Hanover Lodge, No. 145, I. O. O. F. in regular meeting last night, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Noble Grand, A. F. Walton; Vice Grand, W. H. Howell; Recording Secretary, John E. Wood; Financial Secretary, E. S. Hancock; Treasurer, O. C. Merritt. The above named with the appointive officers will be installed by Lodge Deputy E. Rivenbark the first meeting night in July.

Vessel With Naval Stores.

The schooner Crescent, Capt. Mehaffey, cleared yesterday and will sail today for North Plymouth, Mass., with cargo of 2,500 casks of tar from the American Naval Stores Company. This is the first cargo of naval stores from the port of Wilmington in several months. The vessel is by C. D. Maffitt.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

John Gilchrist McCormick, Esq., spent yesterday in Fayetteville.

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Mrs. J. M. Walker, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. B. R. Huske on Haymount in Fayetteville.

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A dance will be given at Lumina tonight. A seven-piece orchestra will furnish the music. As the regular Summer schedule on the suburban line starts today there will be cars every half hour until 11 P. M., which will be a great convenience for those who wish to attend the dance. Tomorrow afternoon there will be a fine concert at Lumina. Those who heard the concert last Sunday were very much pleased with the performance, and there will, no doubt, be a large crowd on hand to hear tomorrow's concert. The programme for the concert will be published tomorrow.

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Mrs. Helen Gantt Mims, a daughter of that well known and beloved newspaper man Mr. T. Larry Gantt, who with The Whiteville News-Reporter has made a record in building up a county paper unprecedented in the whole State, was a pleasant visitor at The Star office yesterday. Mr. Mims, who is an experienced newspaper worker, is at the head of the local and business departments of this excellent weekly, and was calling on the numerous Wilmington merchants, who find in the News-Reporter a profitable medium by which to put their goods before the people of one of the best counties in the State.

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FAREWELL SUPPER TO MR. ANDREW J. HOWELL, JR.

Complimentary to Mr. Andrew J. Howell, Jr., who leaves in a few days for Edinburgh, Scotland, to attend the great World's Mission Conference as a representative of the organization, the Brotherhood Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church last night in the Memorial Hall gave a delightful "farewell supper", which was attended by sixty men of the congregation who joined most heartily in word and action in wishing their representative a safe voyage and a pleasant and profitable sojourn abroad. Music was furnished by a select orchestra composed of Messrs. J. E. Willson, R. H. Morris, A. H. Yopp, W. A. Martin, Herndon Jewell and H. Wormersley and during the evening an elegant supper was served by a committee of ladies under the direction of Mrs. C. W. Woodward and Mrs. P. Heinsberger. Mr. W. D. McCaig presided at the meeting of the Brotherhood and most interesting and pleasing remarks were made by Mr. James Sprunt and Joseph W. Little, Esq. Mr. Sprunt most interestingly reviewed some observations made during his sojourn abroad last Summer and Mr. Little gave expression of the best wishes of the Brotherhood for Mr. Howell on the pleasant mission upon which he is about to embark. Mr. Howell responded most happily to these expressions and was heard with much pleasure upon the eve of his departure. The reception was a delightful success in every way.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Yoke Fellows' Band of the Y. M. C. A. will assist in the service at Trinity Methodist Church tomorrow night.

—Recorder John J. Furlong was wearing a broad smile yesterday. The arrival at his home yesterday morning of a bright young daughter was the cause.

—The Boys' Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock will be addressed by Mr. Herbert G. Foard. All boys over 14 years of age are invited to be present.

—The Hanover Seaside Club, at Wrightsville Beach, will be open for the use of members Sunday of this week. The building has recently been renovated and overhauled.

—Edward Knox, colored, will be tried before Justice Bornemann today on peace warrant sworn out by Virginia Brown, colored, a neighbor. Herbert McClammy, Esq., will appear for the prosecution and Woodus Kellum, Esq., for the defendant.

—Services at Immanuel Presbyterian Church Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M., conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. S. Crowley. Every night next week services will be held at 8 o'clock, preparatory to Communion service the following Sunday.

—It is announced from the office of Mr. L. A. Boyd, second vice president and general manager of the Raleigh & Charleston Railroad Co., Marion, S. C., that effective May 18th Mr. C. C. Graves is appointed general freight and passenger agent with office at Marion, S. C.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: W. M. Cumming and wife to Mrs. Josephine B. Metts, for $275, lot on south side of Swann, 30 feet west of Ninth street, 28x92 feet in size; Mahala Ann Hill and William Thomas Hill, of Washington, D. C., to C. C. Parker, of Wilmington, for $10 and other considerations, lot on east side of Fourth, 231 feet north of Dawson street, 33x97 1-2 feet in size.

—Charged with assault with deadly weapon upon John Anderson, colored, Thomas and John Williams, colored, nine-year-old twins, were tried before Justice Bornemann yesterday morning. It seems that they fired a pistol at Anderson on May 22nd, the weapon being given to them by Leonard Mosely, colored. Owing to the age of the youths the cases were dismissed upon the promise of the mother to give them a sound thrashing.

In reading store ads most people are looking for definite information about some particular article—hence merchants should quote prices always.

Cake Baker's Chance.
Win first prize by using Blue Ribbon Lemon or Vanilla Extract. Ask your grocer for it.

CONCERT BY SUNBEAM CLUB

Pupils of Miss Alderman's Select School Gave Delightful Entertainment in Academy of Music Last Night.

With a large and appreciative audience in attendance, the Sunbeam Club of Miss Mary Alderman's Select School gave its annual entertainment in the Academy of Music last night. The entertainment was fully up to the high standard set by former events of the kind given by pupils of Miss Alderman and those present spent a very delightful evening. Each and every number on the programme was well received and several of the performers showed real dramatic and stage talent. The proceeds from the entertainment will be devoted to the piano fund of the school and quite a neat sum was realized.

The programme was varied and interesting and held the attention of the large audience from beginning to end. The exercises began with "The Mexico Drill and Pantomime," Mrs. John Kneisel playing the accompaniment on the piano. Those taking part were: Misses Edna Johnson, Danie Westbrook, Maggie Roberts, Lucille McRacken, Laura Carpenter, Ruth Hopkins, Nannie Clement, Margaret Gaylor, Isabel Gaylor, Carlotta Sikes, Rosa May Moore, Hazel Winstead, Mary Eve Carpenter, Margaret Ray. Miss Maultsby was reader and the address of welcome was by William Bunting. "The Courtship of Mother Goose" was presented by the younger pupils, the following being the cast of characters:

Mother Goose.....Hazel Winstead
Man in the Moon.....John Schnibben
Santa Claus.....Dan Sawyer
Jack Horner.....William Bunting
King Cole.....Francis McKoy
Fiddlers Three—Payson Willard, Edward Murphy, John Hintz.
Old Mother Hubbard.....Sallie Ward
Old Woman with Rings on Her Fingers .....Marie Johnson
Old Woman Who Swept Cobwebs.....Lottie Dew
Bachelor and Bride .....James McKoy and Margaret Willard
Little Red Riding Hood.....Marion Summerell
Old Woman That Lived in a Shoe.....Neenah Wood
Jack Sprat's Wife.....Madge Woods
Mary Quite Contrary .....Sophie McRacken
Jack be Nimble.....Mahoney Johnson
Jack the Giant Killer.Lynness Turner
Jack and Jill .....Lilly and Liston Truelove
Simple Simon.....Willie Mack Turner
Little Bo-Peep.....Dorothy McNair

"Mr. Bob", a drama, was given by elder pupils, and the different parts were in capable hands as follows:

Philip Royson.....Earl Penny
Robert Brown, Clerk of Benson & Benson .....Owen Fillyaw
Jenkins, the Butler.....Will Miller
Rebecca Luke, a Maiden Lady.....Miss Laura Carpenter
Katherine Rogers, her niece.....Miss Nannie Clement
Marion Bryant, Katherine's Friend (Mr. Bob) ...Miss Lucile McRacken
Patty, the Maid..Miss Blanche Penny

The specialties were as follows: Song, "The Old Gray Bonnet," little Miss Marion Summerell; Song, "Stingy Kid", William Penny; Recitation, "I Ain't Going to Cry Any More," Miss Margaret Ray.

The scenery for the entertainment was handled by the old stage crew.

HIGH SCHOOL PUBLICATION

"Orange and Black," Magazine and School Annual Just Issued.

The last number for the present school years of "Orange and Black," the excellent magazine published by students of the Wilmington High School, was issued yesterday and is in the nature of a school annual, containing a wealth of interesting reading matter and a number of cuts of interest. The volume is attractively bound in a black cover, and stamped on the front cover in gold letters is "Orange and Black, 1910, Wilmington High School." The preceding numbers were very creditable indeed and brought forth much favorable comment, but the latest number is superior in every way to the others. There are about 70 pages and in addition to the other features there are many advertisements of Wilmington merchants. The editors and business managers are to be congratulated upon the excellence of the publication. The table of contents is as follows: Faculty; Senior Class; Junior Class, Class History of Sophomore I; Sophomore II; Freshman I; Freshman III; Freshman IV; Union School, Eighth Grade, Room 1; Union School, Eighth Grade, Room 2; Hemenway Notes, Eighth Grade "Know-all Tom," by Hazel Black, '10; My Hero, A L. S.; "The Vigil," J. S. M.; An Historic Dream, (with apologies to Miss Jenkins) Alice Sawyer; Why Should You Patronize Home Industries, Israel Noe, '10; Editorials; Athletic Department, Edward M. Hardin, '11; Baseball, 1910; Football, Season 1909; Lighter Vein, Edna Le Neir, Sophomore 11; Drags; Exchange Department; Moses Jones, Janitor, The Oldest Attendant of the High School.

A Regular Tom Boy
was Susie—climbing trees and fences, jumping ditches, whittling, always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns or scalds. But laws! Her mother just applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve and cured her quick. Heals everything healable—Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Old Sores, Corns or Piles. Try it 25 c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

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BOLD ROBBERY YESTERNOON

Negro Entered Carolina Apartments and Stole Valuable Watch—Arrested Three Hours Later—Watch Recovered.

One of the boldest and most daring robberies reported in many months was committed yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, when James Johnson, colored, 17 years old, entered an apartment at The Carolina and stole a ladies gold watch, valued at $90, which he later sold a colored delivery wagon driver for $2. The robbery was reported to the county authorities at 2:30 o'clock and 30 minutes later the negro had been arrested and the stolen property recovered.

There was no one in the room from which the watch was taken at the time, but there was a lady in an adjoining room. The negro, it would appear, after picking up the watch continued through the apartment believing the occupants to be out and hoping to find something else of value that could be conveniently carried away without detection. He was startled to see the lady in the adjoining room and when asked what he wanted inquired if a certain physician was there. He then left the apartment and the building very hurriedly. He was seen by the cook for the family occupying the apartment and she was able to give a good description of the negro when it became known that the watch had been stolen. Mr. W. N. Harriss, Deputy Clerk of Superior Court, who has apartments in The Carolina, was told over the telephone of the robbery, the person robbed knowing of his exceptional ability in matters of the kind, having had charge of the police while Mayor of the city. Mr. Harriss sent for the cook to come to his office and in the meantime he swore out a warrant before Justice Bornemann against John Doe alias. The warrant was placed in the hands of Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox, who in company with Deputy Sheriff Brown went out to execute it.

From the description given by the negress Mr. Cox was persuaded to believe that the intruder was James Johnson, who lives on Sixth between Red Cross and Campbell streets. Johnson was standing in the hallway at his home when the officers approached and he ran out the back door, being captured in the yard by Officer Cox. The cook identified Johnson as being the negro who was seen in the apartment a few hours before. Being questioned by Officer Cox the negro admitted his guilt and said that he had given the watch to a negro man. The officers proceeded to Seventh and Church streets, where the negro was found and he had the watch in his possession. He told the officers that he purchased the watch from Johnson and gave him $2 for it, but not until after Johnson had declared positively that he did not steal it. The watch was later identified by the owner as being her property. Johnson was carried before Justice Bornemann who committed him to jail in default of a $100 bond to await hearing at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Had it not been for the prompt action of Mr. Harriss and the county officers it is very doubtful whether the watch would have been recovered during the afternoon.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. C. C. Mottinger, of Boardman, N. C., was a Wilmington business visitor yesterday.

—Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, returned yesterday afternoon from a visit to Jacksonville, Mayesville and Pollocksville, where he delivered mission ary addresses.

—Mr. G. C. Huntington, of Charlotte, State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for the Carolinas, spent yesterday in the city on business connected with the association and left last evening for Durham.

TAFT LOSES SECRETARY.

Fred Carpenter is Appointed Minister to Morocco.

Washington, May 27.—Upon his own application to be relieved of the duties of secretary to the President which it is said have been so heavy as to threaten his health, Fred W. Carpenter was today appointed by President Taft to be United States Minister to Morocco to succeed Percival Dodge, a post which Mr. Taft believes will benefit Mr. Carpenter's health. No one has been selected to succeed Mr. Carpenter. The latter is from Minnesota.

IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW

What a Heap of Happiness It Would Bring to Wilmington Homes.

Hard to do housework with an aching back.

Brings you hours of misery at leisure or at work.

If women only knew the cause—that

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ALLEGED BAGGAGE THIEF.

Thomas Fights Extradition to Richmond for Trial.

Kingston, N. Y., May 27.—George Washington Thomas, arrested as "Old Skooth," whom detectives say was the head of a band of Southern baggage thieves, bitterly fought against extradition to Virginia before County Judge Cantine this afternoon. He has been indicted in Virginia on a charge of grand larceny and Gov. Hughes has issued extradition papers.

Immediately the court informed the prisoner of his constitutional right to a writ of habeas corpus, two Kingston lawyers retained by him applied for and obtained the writ, upon the prisoner's affidavit that he never had been in Virginia and was not the person wanted there. Upon this statement, they contend, he could not be a fugitive from that State, and even if operations had been carried on from an adjoining State, he could not be extradited.

By agreement the hearing was fixed for next Friday morning, Judge Cantine meanwhile refusing to admit the prisoner on bail.

Thomas was arrested recently at his country home near Marlboro, Ulster county, where he had been living as a gentleman farmer. He is charged with being leader of the gang that made its headquarters in Richmond, and by means of fraudulent baggage checks succeeded in getting away with $200,000 worth of baggage.

CHARMING OUTING AT BEACH

First Presbyterian Sunday School Had Fine Trip Yesterday.

A charming day for an excursion to the seashore and a delightful picnic at the beach fell to the lot of the Sunday School of First Presbyterian church yesterday. It was the annual outing of the school and a happy throng of children and their grown-up relatives and friends, who took the trip with them, spent the day most pleasantly. At 10 A. M. a joyous party of 185 took suburban cars at Front and Princess streets and at Winter Park station members of Winter Park Presbyterian Mission Sunday school were taken aboard. Mr. W. M. Cumming, superintendent of the First church Sunday School, conducted the party and was unrelenting in his efforts to care for and give a good time to everybody. Captain Corbett, the jovial and clever representative of the Tidewater Power Company, which gave the outing, accompanied the excursionists and contributed in his hearty way towards making the affair successful and enjoyable. The party returned to the city at 7 P. M. and all declared that it was a day long to be remembered. The next Sunday school excursion will be that of the First Baptist church, which will go down May 31st.

ROBBER AT RED SPRINGS.

Hauled From Under a Church More Dead Than Alive.

(Fayetteville Observer.)

A negro man was detected stealing a pair of trousers from a store in Red Springs yesterday afternoon, and made a dash for the open. He was followed by a policeman and half of the population of the down-town section. When the posse reached the new Presbyterian church building the thief was lost sight of. Some contended that they saw him run through a field of oats, while others said they saw him go under the church. After considerable argument, several boys were sent under the church to see if they could find any trace of the man. When they neared the center of the structure, they were horrified to see a hand sticking up out of the ground. They summoned aid and soon the man was dug out of an excavation into which he had fallen, the earth at the same time caving in on him. The fellow was almost dead and it was some time before he was revived and landed in jail.

NORTHERN PRESBYTERIANS.

Heresy Charges Occupy Much Time. Hobson on Temperance.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 27.—Commissioners in attendance at the Presbyterian General Assembly demanded by resolution this afternoon that officials records be kept hereafter of all examinations made of candidates for the ministry by Presbyterian bodies. The resolution was introduced by Rev. Robert S. Ingles, of Newark, N. J., who explained his belief that the lack of verbatim records in the heresy trial decided today had left the examining commission with lack of real proof of the claims of the minority members of the New York Presbytery; that the ordained students, Steen, Black and Finch, had really expressed heretical beliefs. The resolution was passed by unanimous vote.

The committee on social problems took up most of the afternoon with presentation of their report.

Representative Hobson, of Alabama, was the principal speaker before a popular meeting in the interests of temperance. Every effort will be made to finish the business of the Assembly tomorrow morning.

The General Assembly by unanimous vote today adjudged that the heresy complaint brought against the synod of New York, has not been sustained. This action was taken on the recommendation of the judicial committee of the Assembly. The case involved three students of the Union Theological Seminary, who were alleged to have denied among other things, the Virgin birth of Christ. They denied the allegations and declared that they were not prepared to affirm the immaculate conception with positiveness. Two of the students were licensed by the New York Presbytery and a complaint was taken to the New York Synod, which took no action. The case was then appealed to the General Assembly.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 27.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.75.

TAR—Market, firm $2.10 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $2.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip and $5.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 37, rosin $2.65, tar $1.70, crude turpentine $1.75 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	34
Rosin	186
Tar	32
Crude turpentine	68

Receipts, same day last year: 23 casks spirits turpentine; 17 barrels rosin; (—) barrels tar; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nothing doing. Quotations corcorresponding day last year 8 9-16 cents.

Receipts—195 bales, same day last year 239 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith May 21st.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Spanish $1.40 and $1.50; Virginias $1.00 and $1.10.

CORN—Firm 85 cents per bushel.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 19 to 20; shoulders and sides 15 cts.

EGGS—18 to 19 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 20 and 35; grown 45 to 50, scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26 to 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 80c. per bushel for yams.

HIDES—Dr., flint 14c; green 9c per pound

WOOL—Burr 18c.; free of burr 24 to 25c.

GOATS—50@55 per head.

PORK—Small corn fed 10; large 9c., owing to quality.

SHEEP—No sales.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—White black eyes $2.25 and $2.50; lady fingers $2.75; clay and cow peas $1.75, hull.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, May 27.—A sharp early decline was followed by an even sharper advance in today's cotton market and the close was steady net 2 points lower to 10 points higher, near months being relatively firm, just as they were relatively easy on the early break. The opening was steady at an advance of 2 points on May which was influenced by covering and firm cables, but generally 3 to 6 points lower under a renewal of liquidation and local bear pressure which was encouraged by the favorable weather may and by continued rumors of selling by Chicago bull interests. The old crop months soon broke to a net loss of about 10 to 16 points with July selling off to 14.70, or 66 points above the higher level of Monday and 2 points under the low figures of last week. But it was soon seen that May notices estimated at about 15,000 bales were being stopped very promptly by the same bullish interests who had taken up cotton previously this month. This seemed to inspire fresh confidence in the strength of the old crop bulls, and the market firmed up before midday on covering, renewed bull support led by the New Orleans traders and buying of July by one of the big spot interests. There was some irregularity during the middle of the day but generally speaking the market held very steady and became particularly firm in the last hour when July contracts sold at 14.95, to 25 points above the low level of the morning. The close was only a little off from the best under realizing. The western belt forecast for unsettled or showery weather probably helped the market somewhat, although generally speaking the weather was considered favorable. The New York market will be closed until Tuesday morning but Liverpool and New Orleans will be open. It was rumored late in the day that the National Ginners report would show a condition a little above 80 per cent. The Government's condition and acreage figures are expected next Thursday.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today were 8,657 bales against 14,463 last week and 17,829 last year.

For the week 70,000 bales against 74,979 last week, and 108,790 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 2,621 against 3,444 last year, and at Houston 1,004 bales against 1,868 last year.

Cotton: Spot closed quiet 5 points advance; middling uplands 15.30; middling gulf 15.55. Sales 11,953 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	14. 84	15.07	14.75	14.95
June	14.85	14.83	14.80	14.85
July	14.83	14.95	14.70	14.92
August	14.52	14.62	14.44	14.58
September	13.43	13.49	13.35	13.46
October	12.71	12.76	12.67	12.75
November	12.60	12.62	12.60	12.63
December	12.52	12.59	12.50	12.55
January	12.48	12.55	12.46	12.53
February				
March	12.21			12.56

WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW.

New York, May 27.—Better weather and heavy liquidation partly, it is supposed for Patten interests have sent prices downward. Day after day Wall street houses sold heavily and this selling was generally believed to be for some large bull interest. The recent decline of ten cents in wheat is attributed largely to the selling by people who were long of both wheat and cotton. Naturally cotton suffered. But for valiant support by leading Southern bulls the decline might ave been greater than it was. Warmer and clearer weather throughout pretty much the whole belt has, in the general estimation improved the changes of the crop. Meantime, too, spot markets at the South have been quiet and the New York stock has been steadily increasing giving rise to the impression that bulls will have to take and pay for more cotton than they originally expected to do. The spot sales at Liverpool have decreased.

The dry goods trade in this country is in by no means as satisfactory a state as could be desired. Large exports or impending exports are reported, but on a basis it is said of sharp discounts under the July option and to some the wobbly condition of the Liverpool market at times has seemed suggestive. From some parts of Texas the advices are to the effect the crop outlook could hardly be better. Large spot interests have been heavy sellers of both crops.

On the other hand some reports about the crop are distinctly bullish and the statistical position is regarded by some close students of cotton as strong. It is argued that the situation is precisely oppositive from what it was a year ago when the cotton trade was confronted with big stocks of both raw and manufactured cotton whereas now these stocks are either actually small or very moderate, a difference of a whole diameter between the situation now and that existing at this time in 1909 with the single exception it be true that the price is now nearly $20 a bale higher than it was then. A crucial question now is whether this increase in cost effects the bull factors or not. Meanwhile bulls contend that ideal conditions are necessary to produce the bumper crop which seems necessary to replenish the supplies of the world, that the crop has had a poor start, that the plant is small, that in some States, it is two to three weeks late and that it is open to serious question whether a crop of the needed size can be raised. Recently very drastic liquidation, they think, has paved the way for a rally in prices which is now unlikely to be accelerated by the government report which is to appear on June 2. General sentiment here for the moment, however, is bearish.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, May 27.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	2,438,066
New Orleans	1,213,379
Mobile	237,490
Savannah	1,302,936
Charleston	267,138
Wilmington	308,828
Norfolk	496,456
Baltimore	60,354
New York	19,086
Boston	13,112
Newport News	11,980
Philadelphia	1,696
San Francisco	56,990
Brunswick	220,712
Port Townsend	31,883
Pensacola	137,030
Portland, Ore	200
Port Arthur & Sabine Pass	141,050
Jacksonville	38,932
Eagle Pass, Texas	620
El Paso, Texas	515
Laredo, Texas	1,542
Georgetown	1,376
Gulfport	8,264
Texas City	20,788
Minor Ports	12,418
Total	6,993,439

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, May 27.—For the week ending Friday, may 27th.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week 55,954.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 107,461.

Total receipts since September 1st 6,993,499.

Total receipts to same date last year 9,535,496.

Exports for the week 45,472.

Exports for same week last year 87,876.

Total exports since September 1st 5,466,806.

Total exports same date last year 7,768,381.

Stock at all United States ports 505,884.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 524,678.

Stock at all interior towns 250,067.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year 292,441.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 1,169,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year 112,000.

HESTER'S COTTON REPORT.

New Orleans, May 27.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 3,131,408 against 3,243,641 last week and 3,954,848 last year.

Of this, the total of American cotton is 1,965,408 against 2,054,641 last week and 3,032,848 last year and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 1,166,000 against 1,189,000 last week, and 922,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,521,000 against 2,531,000 last year; in Egypt 99,000 against 171,000 last year; in India 765,000 against 435,000 last year; and in the United States 746,000 against 818,000 last year.

BUSINESS IMPROVING

Crop Prospects Better—Dun's Review of Trade.

New York, May 27.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say:

Changes in the business situation are in the line of moderate improvement. Crop prospects are better, and this is plainly indicated by the downward tendency of prices.

Visible improvement is taking place in the iron and steel trade. Demand from railroads for equipment is somewhat restricted. Buying of cotton goods is still limited, and mills are still indisposed to accept long contracts owing to unsatisfactory prices. Curtailment is growing as the crop season advances. The trend of trade is toward improvement, however. In woolens and worsteds stock goods are being offered at concessions. The yarn markets are steadier and a little more business is being done. Jobbers are making headway cleaning up seasonable stocks, but retailers are still very conservative in the volume of their week purchases.

Trade in footwear continues slow and unsatisfactory; large jobbers throughout the country having failed to follow up initial purchases by supplementary buying of account. Curtailment of production is a necessity.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, May 27.—Spot easy; prices lower. American middling fair 8.48; good middling 8.18; middling 8.04; low middling 7.49; good ordinary 7.08; ordinary 7.43.

The sales of the day were 9,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 870 American. Receipts were 300 bales all American.

Futures opened quiet and close steady. May 7.70 1-2; May and June 7.72; June and July 7.67 1-2; July and August 7.62; August and September 7.37 1-2; September and October 6.95; October and November 6.74-1-2; November and December 6.66; December and annary 6.64; January and February 6.62 1-2; February and March 6.61 1-2; March and April 6.61.

HUBBARD BROS LETTER

Futher Liquidation For Wall Street Parties Caused Further Decline.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, May 27.—During the morning further liquidation for Wall street parties caused by the decline in Chicago brought about a further decline in July which was more than recovered during the afternoon, with the market closing some 6 to 7 points higher on the old crop and a shade lower on the new. We look for a better market next week as the liquidation from Chicago seems over, while the large holders appear to retain their cotton on the belief that there will soon be a sharp demand from spinners who must either buy or shut down.

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PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 14 7-8; net receipts 1,620; gross receipts 1,620; sales 520; stock 49,983; Great Britain 1,809; France 2,348; coastwise 439.

New Orleans—Quiet, 14 15-16; net receipts 2,621; gross receipts 3,422; sales 165; stock 90,197; Great Britain 5,500; continent 2,007; coastwise 112.

Mobile—Quiet, 14 9-16; net receipts 32; gross receipts 32; sales 25; stock 5,463.

Savannah—Quiet, 14 13-16; net receipts 1,694; gross receipts 1,694; sales 500; stock 27,696; coastwise 1,268.

Charleston—Net receipts 1; gross receipts 1; stock 7,513 coastwise 36.

Wilmington—Net receipts 239; gross receipts 239; stock 16,694.

Norfolk—Dull, 15; net receipts 815; gross receipts 815; sales 3; stock 15,630; coastwise 1,195.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15 3-8; net receipts 1,398; stock 8,401.

New York—Quiet, 15.30; gross receipts 3,396; sales 11,953; stock 276,489; continent 4,938.

Boston—Quiet, 15.30; net receipts 27; gross receipts 413; stock 5,471.

Philadelphia—Steady, 15.55; gross receipts 100; stock 1,704.

Brunswick—Net receipts 200; gross receipts 200; stock 139; coastwise 388.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 8,657; Great Britain 7,309; France 2,348; Continent 6,945; stock 505,884.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 55,954; Great Britain 31,260; France 2,348; Continent 9,567; Japan 2,237.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 6,993,499; Great Britain 2,113,890; France 846,133; Continent 2,404,136; Japan 88,828; Mexico 13,819.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14 3-4; net receipts 1,064; gross receipts 1,064; shipments 1,473; stock 26,556.

Augusta—Dull, 15; net receipts 219; gross receipts 760; shipments 942; stock 23,136.

Memphis—Steady, 15; net receipts 502; gross receipts 1,239; shipments 2,652; sales 750; stock 51,261.

St. Louis—Quiet, 15; gross receipts 965; shipments 1,353; sales 27,523.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 573; gross receipts 573; shipments 397; stock 13,987.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 1-8; net receipts 82; gross receipts 82; shipments 139; stock 24,157.

Louisville—Firm, 15 1-8; net receipts 195; gross receipts 195; shipments 10; stock 100.

Total today—Net receipts 2,625; gross receipts 4,878; shipments 6,986; sales 753; stock 166,150.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 27.—Cotton goods trading was light but generally steady for the day with prices little changed. Yarns are firm and quiet. The local wool market rules generally quiet. Jobbers are steadily moving out small lots of merchandise but find it difficult to induce retailers to anticipate their needs by price concessions.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, May 27.—Flour quiet and lower to sell.

Rye Flour—Barely steady.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Spot weak; No. 2 red 1.04 nominal c if; No. 1 northern 1.12 1-8 nominal fob. Options closed at 1-4 to 2 1-2c net lower; May 1.03 1-2; July 1.01 7-8; September 98 3-8.

Corn—Spot weak; No. 2, 66 1-4 nominal elevator domestic basis. Options closed 1-2 to 1c net lower. July 66 3-4; September 66 1-2.

Oats—Barely steady; mixed nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Tallow—Barely steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw firm; refined sugar steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady net unchanged to one point higher. Spot quiet, Rio No. 7, 8 1-4; Santos No. 4, 9 3-8. Mild quiet; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-4.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Cheese—About steady. Prices unchanged.

Eggs—Irregular, prices unchanged.

Potatoes—Steady, unchanged.

Cabbages—Easy; eastern shore per crate 50 to 75c; do per barrel 40 to 60c; Southern per crate 40 to 75; do per barrel 40 to 60; Flat Dutch per crate 50 to 75c; Wakefield 40 to 50.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Freights—Easier; grain by steam to London 1d and Liverpool 1 1-4d.

The cotton seed oil was easier early under selling in the late positions but was steady late on small offerings and covering on firmness in lard, closing at unchanged to 6 points decline with sales of 7,100 barrels. July 7.90 to 7.92; September 7.87 to 7.80; October 7.39 to 7.41; December 6.53 to 6.58. Prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 7.90 to 8.20; prime winter yellow 8.25 to 8.80; prime summer white 8.00 to 8.80.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, May 27.—The highest marked condition in the wheat trade cleared up this afternoon to a large degree. Light seratives in the way of cash purchases by milling interests helped steady the overwrought nerves of the speculators. Relief spread also that big holdings had all been unloaded or at least so reduced as no longer to form an immediate menace. Final figures, however, although sharply above the low point of the day, were half to 5-8c to 3-4 under the previous close for new crop futures and 2 3-4 to 3 cents down for May Corn finished unchanged to 1 3-8c off and oats 5-8c lower to 1-8c a quarter cent higher. Provisions scored an advance of 15 to 47 1-2.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat				
May	1 01½	1 01⅝	1 01⅛	1 02¼
July	93⅝	94⅞	92⅞	92¼
Sept	92⅞	92⅞	91⅝	92½
Dec.	91½	92¼	90⅝	91⅞
Corn				
May	58½	58½	56⅛	56⅞
July	58⅝	59	57¼	58⅛
Sept	58⅝	59¼	57⅜	58⅛
Dec.	53⅝	53⅝	54⅞	55⅜
Oats				
May	39	39	38¼	38¼
July	37½	37½	36⅜	37⅜
Sept	36⅞	36⅝	35⅝	36⅜
Dec.	37½	37½	36½	37
Mess Pork, per bbl.				
July	22 10	22 52½	21 95	22 52½
Sept	21 90	22 35	21 85	22 30
Lard, per 100 lbs.				
July	12 25	12 40	12 20	12 40
Sept	12 15	12 27½	12 05	12 27½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.				
July	12 22½	12 50¾	12 20	12 50
Sept	12 10	12 30	12 07½	12 30

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, May 27.—Cash wheat closed: Wheat No. 2 red 1.02 1-2 to 1.07 1-2; No. 3 red 1.00 to 1.05; No. 2 hard 1.02 1-2 to 1.07 1-2; No. 3 hard 96 to 1.03; No. 1 northern 1.04 1-2 to 1.07 1-2; No. 2 northern 1.02 1-2 to 1.05 1-2; No. 3 spring 98 to 1.05.

Corn—No. 2, 57 1-2 to 58; No. 2 white 61 1-2; No. 2 yellow 59 to 1-2; No. 3, 57 to 57 1-2; No. 3 white 60 to 61; No. 3 yellow 57 3-4 to 58 1-2; No. 4, 54 to 55; No. 4 white 54 1-2 to 57; No. 4 yellow 54 to 56.

Oats—No. 2 white 39 1-2 to 40; No. 3 white 37 to 39; No. 4 white 36 to 37 1-2; standard 39 to 39 1-2.

THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, May 27.—The eve of a three days holiday on the stock exchange is never conducive to much activity. The stock market besides, has been lapsing towards dullness and neglect by a process of uncertain and narrowing fluctuation which are a characteristic of the market when in purely professional hands. The episode of the hours activity was due to the circulation of a rumor of the illness of J. Pierpont Morgan, which originated in Chicago stock brokerage circles. Meantime, Mr. Morgan is in Paris and was in cable communication today with business associates in New York.

The circulation of false rumors is held generally to signify activity by a bear party in the speculation.

Whatever the real purpose of the early operations, they were discontinued soon and the proceedings for the rest of the day were almost devoid of interest.

The lack of response to the formal announcement of the sales of St. Paul bonds in France to the amount of 250,000,000 francs brought out some professions of disappointment. The speculative effect of it was found in fact to be exhausted.

The route of the bull party in wheat is expected to have important results if it has served to bring about natural conditions in that market. The awakening of export demand will be watched for with interest. The course of the cotton market is equally interesting to the stock market element. The fact that the Fall River cotton mills will close down all of next week shows the bearing of the cotton market position on the general industrial situation.

The slightly firmer tone of the money market this week lends interest to the showing to be made by the bank statement to be published while the stock exchange is in recess. Over a million dollars has come out to Canada this week and the movement of interior exchanges has been against New York. While the movement from the interior has fallen off considerably, it has been sufficient to indicate a substantial cash gain for the banks.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, were $1,235,000. United States bonds unchanged from last week's prices on call. Total sales for the day were 306,500 shares.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 27.—Money on call firm 2 1-2 to 3 1-2, ruling rate 3 1-4, closing bid 3, offered at 3 1-4. Time loans firm 60 days 3 1-4 to 1-2 and ninety days and six months 4 to 4 1-4.

Prime mercantile paper 4 3-4 to 5 1-4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8430 to 4.8440 for sixty day bills and at 4.8735 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 3-4 to 4.84 1-4. Bar silver 53 3-4. Mexican dollars 44.

N. Y. BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref. 2s coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s registered	102
U. S. 3s coupon	102
U. S. 4s registered	114 3-4
U. S. 4s coupon	114 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	78 1-2
American Agricultural 5s	101 3-4
American Tel & Tel cv 4s	101
American Tobacco 4s	78 3-4
American Tobacco 6s	105
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	91 7-8
Atchison gen. 4s	98 7-8
Atchison cv. 4s	109
Atchison cv. 5s	111
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	93 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	97 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90 1-2
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	85
Central of Georgia 5s	104 5-8
Central Leather 5s	99 5-8
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	122 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	100 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio ref s	94 1-2
Chicago, B. & Q. joint 4s	95 7-8
Chicago, R. & I. gen. 4s	97 1-4
Chicago, Mil. & St. P. gen. 3 1-2s	92 1-4
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col. 4s	77 1-8
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. rfg 4s	88
Colorado Industrial 5s	77 1-2
Colorado Midland 4s	74
Colo. & Southern ref. & ext 4 1-2s	97
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	98 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	93
Denver & Rio Grande ref. s	92
Distillers 5s	69
Erie prior lien 4s	82 5-8
Erie Gen. 4s	73
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	76
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	68 1-4
General Electric cv. 5s	120 1-2
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	97 1-2
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	85 5-8
Inter Merc Marine 4 1-2s	65 1-2
Japan 4s	91
Japan 4 1-2s	94 1-2
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s	98 1-4
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	87 1-2
Missouri Pacific 4s	78
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	94 1-2
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	88 7-8
New York Central deb. 4s	92
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	132 3-4
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	98 1-2
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	103
Northern Pacific 4s	101 1-8
Northern Pacific 3s	71
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	93
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 3-4
Penn. Con. 4s	102 7-8
Reading Gen. 4s	97 7-8
St. Louis & San Fran. fg 4s	81 3-4
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	87 7-8
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	77 1-4
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	90
Seaboard Air Line 4s	73 3-8
Southern Pacific col. 4s	90 5-8
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	100 3-4
Southern P. R. R. 1st ref 4s	94 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	105 7-8
Southern Railway gen. 4s	77 3-8
Union Pacific 4s	101 1-2
Union Pacific cv. 4s	105
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	96
U. S. Rubber 6s	102 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	104
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	99
Wabash 1st 5s	108 1-2
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	79 3-4
Western Md., 4s	84 5-8
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	87
Wisconsin Central 4s	90 3-4

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers pfd	32
Amalgamated Copper	69 5-8
American Agricultural	45
American Beet Sugar	36 3-4
American Can	9 5-8
American Car & Foundry	61
American Cotton Oil	64
American Hide & Leather pfd	39
American Ice Securities	24
American Linseed	12 3-4
American Locomotive	47
American Sugar Refining	122 1-2
American Smelting & Ref'ng	78 7-8
Amer. Smelting & Ref'g pfd	104 1-2
American Steel Foundries	54 1-2
American Tel & Tel	136
American Tobacco pfd	95
American Woolen	33
Anaconda Mining Co.	109 1-4
Atchison pfd	101 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line	121
Baltimore & Ohio	114
Bethlehem Steel	28
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	80 7-8
Canadian Pacific	197 3-8
Central Leather	39 1-2
Central Leather pfd	108
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake & Ohio	86 3-8
Chicago & Alton	45 1-2
Chicago Great Western	27 3-4
Chicago Great Western pfd	80 3-4
Chicago & Northwestern	151 5-8
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	138 3-8
C., C. C. & St. Louis	84
Colorado Fuel & Iron	37
Colorado & Southern	60
Consolidated Gas	141 7-8
Corn Products	16
Delaware & Hudson Ex. Div	169
Denver & Rio Grande	40
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	79 7-8
Distillers' Securities	30 1-4
Erie	28 1-2
Erie 1st pfd	46
Erie 2nd pfd	37 1-2
General Electric	148 1-2
Great Northern pfd	131 3-4
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	62 1-2
Illinois Central	135
Interborough-Met	20 1-8
Interborough Met pfd	54 1-2
Inter Harvester	99 1-2
Inter Marine pfd	17 5-8
International Paper	12
International Pump	47 1-8
Iowa Central	26 3-4
Kansas City Southern	34 1-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	66
Laclede Gas	105
Louisville & Nashville	147
Minneapolis & St. Louis	35
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	139 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	41 5-8
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, pfd	68 1-2
Missouri Pacific	71
National Biscuit	106
National Lead	77 1-2
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd	28
New York Central	119 3-4
New York, Ontario & Western	46 7-8
Norfolk & Western	103
North American	73 1-2
Northern Pacific	130 1-4
Pacific Mail	26 1-2
Pennsylvania	134 1-4
People's Gas	107 1-4
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	100 1-4
Pittsburg Coal	20
Pressed Steel Car	38 1-2
Pullman Palace Car	160 1-2
Railway Steel Spring	39 1-2
Reading	162 1-2
Republic Steel	33 3-4
Republic Steel pfd	97 3-4
Rock Island Co.	43 1-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	80
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	48
St. Louis Southwestern	32
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	75 3-4
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron	72 1-4
Southern Pacific	126 1-8
Southern Railway	26 7-8
Southern Railway pfd	62 1-2
Tennessee Copper	27 1-2
Texas & Pacific	33 1-2
Toledo, St. Louis & West	26 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	62 1-2
Union Pacific	183 1-8
Union Pacific pfd	94 1-2
United States Realty	74 1-4
United States Rubber	40 1-4
United States Steel	82 1-2
United States Steel pfd	111 5-8
Utah Copper	46
Virginia Carolina Chemical	61 3-4
Wabash	20 1-2
Wabash pfd	45 1-2
Western Maryland	46 1-2
Westinghouse Electric	63 1-4
Western Union	67 1-2
Wheeling & Lake Erie	3 1-2

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, May 27.—Rosin quiet, turpentine easy.

Savannah, Ga., May 27.—Turpentine steady 59; sales 90; receipts 804; shipments 1,045; stocks 6,044. Rosin firm; sales 2,016; receipts 2,013; shipments 1,370; stocks 48,472. Quote: A, B, C, 4.05 to 4.12 1-2; D, 4.40; E, 4.70 to 4.80; F, 4.80 to 4.90; G, 4.85 to 4.95; H, 5.00; I, 5.00; K, 5.20; M, 5.25; N, 5.40 to 5.60; WG, 5.70; WW, 5.95 to 6.05.

Charleston, S. C., May 27.—Turpentine firm; 59 1-2. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 4.00 to 4.10; D, 4.40; E, 4.75; F, 4.75 to 4.85; G, 4.85 to 4.90; H, 5.00; I, 5.00; K, 5.00 to 5.10; M, 5.20; N, 5.40 to 5.55; WG, 5.80; WW, 6.00 to 6.05.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Lyon, Edge, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.
Str. Delaware, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.
Br. str. Holmeside, 2,464 tons, Perry, SE Lucia, F. A. Fetter, Agent.

CLEARED.

Str. Lyon, Edge, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.
Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.
Schr. Crescent, McHaffey, North Plymouth, C. D. Maffitt.

Exports—Domestic.

North Plymouth, Mass.—Schr. Crescent, 2,500 casks of tar, cargo by American Naval Stores Co.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Holmeside (Br.) 2,464 tons, Perry, F. A. Fetter, Agent.
Sophie Rickmers, (Ger.) 2,262 tons, Kohn, Heide & Co.
Ellen Rickmers (Ger.) 2,632 tons, Hubache, F. A. Fetter, Agent.
Brantingham (Br.) 1,686 tons, Eastwood, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Herald, 474 tons, Simmons, C. D. Maffitt.
Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Coulburn, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 27, 1910.

W. & W. Railroad—6 casks spirits turpentine, 32 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar.

W., C. & A. Railroad—225 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 12 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar, 25 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 35 barrels rosin, 1 barrel tar.

W. & N. Railroad—5 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—11 casks spirits turpentine, 46 barrels rosin.

Str. Lyon—3 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 12 barrels tar, 24 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Geneva M.—6 casks spirits turpentine.

Total—239 bales cotton, 34 casks spirits turpentine, 186 barrels rosin, 32 barrels tar, 68 barrels crude turpentine.

HOW TO CURE RHEUMATISM.

It Is an Internal Disease and Requires an Internal Remedy.

The cause of rheumatism and kindred diseases is an excess of uric acid in the blood. To cure this terrible disease this acid must be expelled and the system so regulated that no more acid will be formed in excessive quantities. Rheumatism is an internal disease and requires an internal remedy. Rubbing with oils and liniments will not cure, affords only temporary relief at best, and allows the malady to get a firmer hold on you. Liniments may ease the pain, but they will no more cure rheumatism than paint will change the fibre of rotten wood.

Science has at last discovered a perfect and complete cure, which is called "Rheumacide." Tested in hundreds of cases, it has effected the most marvelous cures; we believe it will cure you. Rheumacide "gets at the joints from the inside," sweeps the poisons out of the system, tones up the system, regulates the liver and kidneys and makes you feel well all over. Rheumacide "strikes the root of the disease and removes its cause." This splendid remedy is sold by druggists and dealers generally at 50c and $1 a bottle. In Tablet form at 25c and 50c a package. Get a bottle today. Booklet free if you write to Bobbitt Chemical Co, Baltimore, Md.

For Sale by R. R. Bellamy.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage made by W. J. Reaves and wife, M. E., to Wilmington Homestead and Loan Association, registered in Book 55, Page 147, et seq., of the Records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the Court House door of New Hanover County, in Wilmington, N. C., on June 25th 1910 at 12 o'clock M., the following lots of land in said city:

1st. A lot beginning in western line of Second street, 97 feet south of southern line of Church street, runs thence west, parallel with Church street, 165 feet, thence south parallel with Second street 35 feet, thence east parallel with Church street 165 feet to Second street; thence with Second street 35 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 2, Block 87.

2nd. A lot beginning in the western line of Second street, 169 feet south of southern line of Church street, runs thence west parallel with Church street 110 feet; thence south parallel with Second street, 29 feet; thence east 110 feet to Second street; thence north 29 feet to beginning, being east part 3, Block 87.

3rd. A lot beginning in west line of Second street, 231 feet south of southern line of Church street, runs thence south with said line of Second street 33 feet, thence west parallel with Church street 165 feet; thence north parallel with Second street 33 feet; thence east 165 feet to the beginning, being part of lot 4, Block 87.

4th. A lot beginning in southern line of Meares street, 76 feet west of Third street, thence south parallel with Third street 110 feet; thence west parallel with Meares street, 38 feet; thence north parallel with Third street 110 feet to Meares street; thence east with Meares street 38 feet to the beginning.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., May 28, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Friday, May 27th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 66 degrees 8 P. M. 70 degrees; maximum 79 degrees; minimum 59 degrees; mean 69 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month 4.61 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Thursday 6.8 feet and rising.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday and Sunday; light variable winds.

Port Calendar—May 28.

Sun Rises.....5:03 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:15 P. M.
Day's Length.....12 hrs. 12 min.
High water at Southport 10:21 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 1:21 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Str. Wilmington—Schedule.
U. C. T.—Attention Members.
Academy—Great Minstrel Fete.
Tidewater Power Co.—Schedule.
Hopkins & Davis—Are You Satisfied.
Peterson & Rulfs—Commencement Slippers.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Created For a Purpose.
American National Bank—Interest Quarter.

Business Locals.

Lost—Diamond Shaped Pin.
J. W. Batson—See My Line.
Franklin Matthews—For Sale.
Columbia Realty & Auction Co.—Sale.
J. E. Crayton & Co.—Business Phonograph.

MAXTON SHOOTING.

Two Negroes in Jail at Lumberton—Deputy Barnes Improving.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., May 27.—As a result of the shooting at Maxton last night, an account of which appeared in The Star this morning, Mack McLean and his wife are in jail and Deputy Sheriff Barnes is confined at his home painfully, though not seriously, injured. The woman in the case seems to have been mentally unbalanced for some time as a result of some religious teachings. She has been under bond for some time against doing any harm, but a few days ago one of her hondsmen became dissatisfied and wanted to be relieved. Deputy Barnes went to Maxton Wednesday evening to bring her to jail, but did not succeed in finding her and returned again yesterday evening to make another attempt. McLean and his wife were upstairs, and refused to open the door. The officer got in, however, and was shot through a hole in the floor from overhead, the ball striking above the knee and ranging down below. He rushed up-stairs where he was met by the two, one shooting at him and the other using a stick. At first his pistol refused to fire, but finally did shoot, when a ball was sent through the woman's face and one through the man's arm. Deputy Barnes and both negroes were brought down on the night train. The officer was dealt several blows on the head with a stick which caused painful wounds.

Deputy Barnes is resting as well as could be expected today, but the physicians decided this morning to wait a day or two before attempting to remove the ball.

RIDE TO MEET TEDDY

Oklahoma Lads of Tender Years Took Cross Continent Trip.

Washington, May 27.—After riding on horseback most of the way across the continent to meet Col. Roosevelt on his arrival at New York, Louis and Temple Abernethy, aged nine and six years respectively, sons of "Jack" Abernethy, of Oklahoma, the wolf catcher and friend of the former President, arrived here tonight. They rode from Frederick, Md., today, a distance of 57 miles. Temple dropped off to sleep the minute his head touched the pillow. While the little fellow was coiled up restfully under the white covers Louie talked of their trip.

"Temple and I", he said, "want to see some of the animals Mr. Roosevelt sent from Africa and tomorrow we will go over to the Smithsonian Institution to see if we can have a look at some of them."

When asked what he intended to say to Mr. Roosevelt when he met him in New York, Louie replied that "it would depend on what Mr. Roosevelt said to them", and that he "could not cross the fence until he came to it." President Taft will receive the two little travelers.

WANT BISHOP KILGO TO STAY.

Durham Business Men Pass Resolutions to That Effect.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Durham, May 26.—The merchants association in a called session yesterday asked that Bishop Kilgo retain his residence in Durham.

The association is aware of the fact that there are calls from various cities to Dr. Kilgo, asking him to make his home there. A story comes from Charlotte that he has been offered a house in that city and it was this that moved the merchants to act. Bishop Kilgo hasn't made any statement as to his future further than that he cannot say anything before commencement. There are many who cannot bring their minds to the view that Bishop Kilgo will go away.

In the resolutions the merchants speak of the high ideals and standards that Bishop Kilgo has set in college and in the community and of the stand he has taken for civic righteousness. The Bishop-elect was presented with a copy of the resolutions.

PROTEST AGAINST FIGHT

Reform Bureau Want to Stop Mill Set For July 4th.

Washington, May 27.—Protesting against the proposed Jeffries-Johnson prize fight July 4th, the International Reform Bureau today issued an open letter to members of both Houses of Congress. The letter offers strenuous objection to "the descration of the nation's birthday by an illegal prize fight for the world's championship hypothetically sanctioned by officials as a mere boxing bout." Other States and National organizations are to be asked to join in the movement to having Congress withhold omcial endorsement of San Francisco as the scene of the proposed Panama Canal Exposition in 1915.

PROF. ROBT. KOCH DEAD.

Famous Bacteriologist Dies From Disease of Heart.

Baden Baden, May 27.—Prof. Robert Koch, the famous bacteriologist, died here this afternoon from a disease of the heart. He was born at Klausthal, Hanover, December 11th, 1843.

Prof. Koch became distinguished as an investigator of mico organisms, but probably gained most renown as the discoverer of the bacilli of tuberculosis and cholera.

It was in 1882 that Prof. Koch first announced his discovery of the bacilli of tuberculosis. The following year he was sent by the German government to India and Egypt to study cholera and he discovered the comma baccillus, the presence of which is regarded as an infallible test in diagnosing Asiatic cholera.

It was in 1890 at the meeting of the International Medical Congress that Prof. Koch announced the discovery of a specific for tuberculosis, but while his announcement created much sensation, the medical profession generally did not accept it as a fact, and subsequent experience did not fully substantiate the claims of Koch in this direction.

Prof. Koch received decorations from the German and French governments for his discoveries. He visited the United States in 1908 and attended the International Tuberculosis Congress in Washington.

CANTEEN QUESTION

Reopened in Congress Yesterday As to Soldiers' Homes.

Washington, May 27.—The old fight over the canteen question was re-opened in the House today by an amendment offered by Mr. Keliher, of Massachusetts, to the sundry civil bill, to allow canteens at old soldiers homes within five miles of cities where liquor is sold. The House rejected the amendment by a vote of 17 to 51.

The bill prohibited the use of any part of the appropriations for any branch of the National home for disabled volunteers that maintains on its premises a bar, canteen or other places where beer, wine or other intoxicating liquors are sold. Mr. Kelliher's amendment was to modify this prohibition by adding "unless such bar is located in or within five miles of a city or town where the sale of intoxicating liquor is permitted by law."

Mr. Kenher wno said this applied to half of the homes, contended that the abolishing of the canteen has proven a mistake.

Mr. Sims, of Tennessee, denounced the proposition as an insult to the old soldiers, an insidious attack upon existing legislation" and an opening wedge to gradually extend the canteen jurisdiction. He said sobriety had perceptibly increased in Congress since the sale of liquor was interdicted at the capitol.

On a division vote, tne amendment was defeated.

DISAGREE ON BANK BILL

Republicans Held Caucus—The Question of Taxation.

Washington, May 27.—Republican House caucus on the Postal Savings Bank bill, adjourned at 11 o'clock tonight until next Wednesday night without having completed the bill. Shortly after the cancus convened it was decided to pass over without action Section 9 of the bill relating to the disposition of postal savings deposits. This section has been the stumbling block in the way of a caucus agreement but it is expected that Wednesday it will be taken up and disposed of. The matter of disagreement is on the question of what percentage of the postal deposits shall remain in the local banks.

All of the remaining sections of the bill were read and accepted with but slight amendment. The question of taxation caused considerable disagreement and lengthy debates as did the matter of the issnance of the United States bonds in small denominations.

It was finally decided that the bonds should be issued in denominations of $20 up to $100. About a hundred Republicans were present.

INDICTED IN ILLINOIS.

State Senator Charged With Perjury in Bribery Investigation.

Springfield, Ill., May 27.—An indictment for perjury was returned today against State Senator D. W. Holtslaw, of Iuka, a Democrat, by the Sangamon county grand jury, which is probing alleged bribery in the Illinois Legislature.

This is the first indictment which has been returned by this inquisitorial body. The indictment is based principally on the testimony of Senator Holtslaw that he did not know of and had never arranged for a meeting for himself with J. W. Knox, of Chicago, representing the Deby Desk Company, of Boston, lowest but unsuccessful bidder to supply the House and Senate with furniture.

After Holtslaw had denied knowledge of a meeting with Knox, State's Attorney Burke produced a letter alleged to have been written by Holtslaw to Knox on January 18th, 1910. In this letter the Senator wrote:

"It has been arranged that I should see you." The letter fixed Springfield as the place of meeting.

NEW ORLEANS BOOMERS.

Exposition Delegation Had Hearing Yesterday Before Committee.

Washington, May 27.—The New Orleans Exposition Boomers bore down today upon the Senate Committee on Industrial Expositions and their orators endeavored to convince the committee that the Southern city should be recognized as the place for an exposition in 1915 to celebrate the opening of the Panama Canal.

Practically the entire State government of Louisiana, consisting of Governor Sanders, Mayor Behrman, Lieut. Governor Lambremont, President Protem. Bafret, of the Senate, Speaker Dupre, of the House, and L. E. Bentley, secretary of the press committee of New Orleans, spoke for the Gulf City.

President and Mrs. Taft received the members of the delegation at an alfresco reception today on the White House lawn. The members were introduced by Senator Foster, of Louisiana. They will start on their return trip South tomorrow night.

Boston, Mass., May 28.—Four alarms have been sounded for a fire at the Mystic docks in Charlestown. The glow of the flames can be seen throughout the city.

KETCHEL KNOCKS OUT LEWIS

New Yorker Could Stand Only Two Rounds With the Campion.

New York, May 27—Stanley Ketchel, of Michigan, the middle weight champion, knocked out Willie Lewis, of this city in the second round of a scheduled ten-round bout at the National Sporting Club tonight. Lewis, who was the Parisian idol some months ago, is a welter weight and was fully ten pounds lighter than Ketchel, who weighed in this afternoon at 158 pounds according to agreement. Tom O'Rourke, the manager of the club, acted as referee. The crowd numbered about 3,000. The two exchanged body blows at close quarters in the opening round with Ketchel having the better of the exchanges. Lewis stepped cleverly inside of a vicious right swing and planted a straight left on Stanley's face a moment later. After another session of in-fighting Ketchel sent a left to the face and the gong ended the round.

In the second round Lewis went after Ketchel furiously, but the fast pace suited Ketchel who, after a few exchanges, planted a hard left on Lewis' body and followed it with a terrific right swing to the jaw. Lewis fell hard to the floor and was counted out. He was revived and helped out of the ring.

OFFERS TO GIVE $50,000.

Appeal to Asheville Board to Help Movement at Black Mountain.

Asheville, N. C., May 27.—With an offer of $50,000 from an unnamed philanthropist as an incentive, Mr. C. K. Ober, of New York, field secretary of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of North America, appeared before a special meeting of the Asheville Board of Trade and Merchants' Association today to ask the aid of the bodies in raising the $42,000 necessary for the establishment and equipment of conference and training grounds for five young people's movements at Black Mountain, 15 miles from this city. The raising of the latter sum has been made a condition in connection with the $50,000 offered. It was announced that $12,000 has already been raised.

The committees were appointed by the local organization to assist Mr. Ober in his work of canvassing this section. The movements involved in this proposition are the Y. M. C. A. in Southern colleges, the Y. M. C. A. in Southern cities, railroad and industrial centres, the Y. M. C. A. in Southern churches and the Boys' Y. M. C. A. in Southern churches and associations.

SCHOONER BLUHM LOST.

Struck on Shoals and Went to Pieces—Crew Escape in Boat.

San Pedro, Cal., May 27.—The schooner Dora Bluhm, 330 tons, Capt. John R. Johnson, out seven days from Coos Bay, for San Pedro, went ashore on Santa Barbara Island Wednesday night and was totally wrecked.

Capt. Johnson and the crew of six escaped in a boat. They were brought here b ya schooner today. The Dora here by a schooner today. The Dora ing Company, of San Francisco, and carried 350,000 feet of lumber.

The sea was heavy and the crew escaped with difficulty. A heavy swell swept Alexander Winter into the sea. The second mate, John Stevens, lassoed him around the shoulders with the bight of a line and dragged him into the ship's boat half drowned. The schooner broke up an hour after she struck. The crew, without water or provisions, struck out for the mainland. Suffering severely from thirst, hunger and exposure, they pulled at the oars for 22 hours until they were sighted by the gasoline schooner Santa Rosa Island, last night, off the west end of Santa Cruz Island.

YOUR CHECK BOOK

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Surplus	100,000.00
Profits, net	50,000.00
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THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

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WITH THE EDISON Business Phonograph your correspondence is correctly, carefully and neatly written, because the transcriber puts down what you dictate, and not what she deciphers from rapidly taken notes. J. E. Crayton & Co., Dealers, Charlotte, N. C. ma 28 1t

WANTED—At once position by competent male stenographer. Have had about five years' experience. Address "Stenographer," care of Star. ma 28 1t*

SEE MY LINE TODAY All kinds of vegetables and fruits, Spring chickens and hams. Boiled ham, chipped beef, bacon and North Carolina ham. Call me up. J. W. Batson. 'Phone No. 72. ma 28 1t

FOR SALE Ice cream cart, peanut roaster and slot machine, all in good condition for $25. Reason for selling am leaving city. Franklin Matthews, 136 South Front street. ma 28 2t*

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WILMINGTON BUSINESS men and others, wishing to meet the farmers and merchants of Pender county, see them at Rocky Point, Monday, May 30th, when the two Bodenheimers will sell at auction 65 of the best lots in that town—centrally located and on proposed turnpike from new Northeast river bridge to Burgaw—known as the J. C. Jones property. A day of recreation, music, free lot, gold and silver. Train leaves Wilmington 8:30 A. M. Monday. "Hear the two Bodenheimers." Columbia Realty & Auction Co., Greensboro, N. C. ma 28 1t

WANTED—By refined couple, room and board in private family. State terms. Address "S" care Star. ma 28 2t*

LOST—On down town streets yesterday a diamond shaped K. D. Pin, jeweled with pearls, bearing on back initials "M. S." Reward if returned to S., care Star office. ma 28 3t

FOR SALE—One large Holstein cow and calf, that gives 3 1-2 gallons of milk, well worth $65 price asked. Address W. W. Pearsall, Rocky Point, N. C. ma 26 thu sa su 3t.

WANTED—By young lady thoroughly competent, position as stenographer. Address Miss A. B. C., care Star. ma 26 4t*

FOR RENT—Cottage at Front and Church streets, 503 Front; has five rooms, passage, bath and electric lights. Apply at 501 South Front or to J. E. Hall. ma 26 tf

TIMBER FOR SALE—Five to six million feet, long and short straw pine timber, well located on Cape Fear river in Bladen county. L. Box 287, Lumberton, N. C. ma 26 4t.

THE USE OF THE Edison Business Phonograph enables your stenographer to get out twice as many letters in a given time as she otherwise would. While she is writing one cylinder you are dictating another—that's the reason. J. E. Crayton & Co., Dealers, Charlotte, N. C. ma 26 tf

MRS. NORTHROP begs to announce the opening of the Northrop Cottage on Wrightsville Beach for the season, and is now prepared to entertain guests. 'Phone 751-2. ma 26 3t*

WANTED—First-class salesman to call on wholesale grocers in North Carolina. No order taker need apply. Best reference required. Address P. O. Box 16, Wilmington, N. C. ma 26 3t

SPECIALTIES—All sorts of fish and clam fritters; our regular dinners are growing in popularity every day; at the car junction, Front and Princess streets. Junction Restaurant. Phone 1598. ma 18 tf

LOOK HERE LEWIS! If you want fancy prices for your hides, chickens, S. potatoes and N. C. meats while they are in good demand, ship them to C. D. Gilbert, 212 Market street. ap 17 tf

ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the U. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

ARE YOU GOING on your vacation? See Uncle Charley for a good leather suit case, a good trunk, 108 Market street. Just a whisper from Front street. ap 23 tf

DR. CHARLES T. HARPER—Practice limited to kidney, genito-urinary and rectal diseases. Offices 507-508 Southern Building, phone 1,166. ma 25 tf

WANTED—Agents in every town, men or women, big money to hustlers. New household article, sells at sight. Act at once. Appalachian Specialty Co., Asheville, N. C. ma 22 6t*

FOURTEENTH SERIES of the Rural Building and Loan Association will open on Saturday, June 4th 1910. You can subscribe for shares at 118 Princess street. ames Owen Reilly, secretary and treasurer, 118 Princess street. ma 20 tf

NOTARY PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER: Expert typewriting and stenographic work. Multigraph circulars, imitation typewritten letters, forms, etc., startlingly cheap. Notary public also. Menres Harriss, 114 Princess street. Phone 708. ap 28 tu thu su 4t

THE GILBERT HOUSE—Combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all car lines. Electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Transient $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Special rates to regular and table boarders. ma 20 tf.

IF IT IS GOOD workmanship and cleanliness that you are looking for, you can nd both at The Orton sanitary barber hop. Six white barbers. Would appreciate a trial. ap 26 tf

ACADEMY
SCHLOSS THEATRE CIRCUIT
Monday Night, May 30th.
Giant Minstrel Fete
BENEFIT WILMINGTON BAND
40——People——40
Brilliant Scenic First Part:
"THE COURT OF THE RED HUSSARS."
Mammoth Parade Monday 12:30 P. M.
Prices—25, 50 and 75 cents.
Seats now on sale at Baxter's Cigar Store.
ma 28 2t

STEAMER WILMINGTON. SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., for Carolina Beach and Southport. Last boat returns to city at 7 P. M. Fare 25 cents round trip, either place. ma 28-1t.

NOTICE U. C. T.

All members of Cape Fear Council, No. 374, U. C. T., are urgently requested to attend regular meeting tonight at 8:15 sharp. Business of importance and initiation of candidates.

L. H. BURNETT,
Secretary.

ma 28—1t.

Spring and Summer Changes of the SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Effective June 5th, 1910.

On the above date the Southern Railway will put in operation their Elegant Summer service of Sleepers and Parlor Cars from all important points. Jacksonville, Atlanta, Macon, New Orleans, Memphis, Chattanooga, Columbia, Charleston, Norfolk, Raleigh, etc., to

Western North Carolina Resorts, "The Land of the Sky."

and all other Summer Resorts. Cheap round trip rates effective May 15th, to September 30th, final return limit October 31st, 1910.

For further information regarding rates, schedules, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to your nearest agent or the undersigned.

W. H. PARNELL,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
Raleigh, N. C.
H. F. CARY,
General Passenger Agent,
Washington, D. C.

ma 26-thu-fr-sa-su tf.

Doctors Agree

that much of the illness of children can be traced directly to unsanitary refrigerators, and many cases of typhoid fever can also be traced to an ill smelling, foul, zinc-lined ice box.

A good refrigerater is the best "health insurance" you can have, as it safeguards the health of your family and keeps your food clean, fresh and pure.

McCray Refrigerators

are endorsed by physicians, hygienists, and sanitary experts, and are not only **better** than ordinary refrigerators, but are much more economical as they require only one-half as much ice as an ordinary refrigerator. They are so perfectly insulated that they are as nearly as possible cold and heat proof, and therefore have an active circulation of absolutely **dry**, cold, pure air with the minimum amount of ice.

Let Us Tell You Why

McCray Refrigerators are superior. Come in and see them for yourself, and let us give you the names of some of the people who are using McCray Refrigerators. Then call some of them up on the 'phone and ask them if they are satisfied with the McCray. Don't take our word—ask someone who is actually **using** a McCray.

N. Jacobi Hardware Co.

WHEN YOU SELECT

An Article

from our stock whether it is for personal use or for the home, there's a feeling of absolute dependability goes with each purchase.

We are showing many moderately priced pieces of Jewelry—things necessary for daily wear. While not expensive they're still dependable.

Call and see them!

A. O. SCHUSTER
JEWELER
104 North Front Street.

Are You Satisfied

You get the best the market affords. Phone your orders to us and you will always gets the best Spring Lamb, Veal, Beef, Chickens, Fresh Eggs, Hams and Bacon; also a full line of fresh Vegetables of all kinds.

HOPKINS & DAVIS
Front Street Market.
Stals No. 1 and 2 north side; No. 1 and 3 south side. Phones 141 and 128.
Phones 141 and 128.
ma 28 tf

Seed Cow Peas

189 Bags Cow Peas.
118 Dozen Canned Fish Roe.
29 Boxes Prunes.
19 Boxes L. L. Raisins.
11 Barrels Roe Herring.
41 Half-barrels Georgia Syrup.
29 Half-barrels Compound Syrup.
33 Half-barrels Fancy Molasses.
48 Cases Sticky Fly Paper.
64 Bags Corno Hen Feed.
36 Bags Sterling Chick Feed.
118 Cans Dog Head Tomatoes.
225 Cans Big "R" Tomatoes.

W. B. Cooper
Importer and Jobber.
Wilmington, N. C.
ma 11 tf

June 1st to 2nd

Deposits made on or before June Second will bear 4 per cent. interest from June the first if left in our savings department.

Absolutely Safe

American National Bank
113 N. Front St., Wilmington, N. C.

Commencement Slippers
Many New Styles
PETERSON & RULFS

ma 28 tf

The
"Come Back"

It is the customers who come back that make a business grow. Clever advertising may get a customer once, but only honest values—being "square"—make him come again.

Your satisfaction is what we are striving for. That's why we offer such clothing as

Stein-Bloch Summer Suits

for your consideration.

No better clothing is made today—not even by high class custom tailors.

No garments anywhere near so good can be had anywhere else at equally low prices.

J. W. FLEET CO.
Phone 673. S. W. Corner Front & Princess Sts.

THE
French Millinery Parlors.

Big reduction of Summer models in large and small hats in plain and fancy straws. Beautiful trimmed hats for all dress occasions in great variety. All ribbons, flowers, etc, greatly reduced. We invite your inspection.

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3rd Floor A. D. BROWN'S
THE FRENCH MILLINERY PARLORS.

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The Rosary, by Florence L. Barclay.
Lady Merton, Colonist, by Mrs. Humphrey Ward.
Poppy, by Cynthia Stockley.
Love the Judge, by Wymond Carey.
Cavanaugh, Forest Ranger, by Hamline Garland.

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